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CZECH CABINET TENDERS RESIGNATION

PRAGUE MAYOR NAMED NEW PRIME MINISTER

Cries Of "Give Us Arms" And "Long Live The Army"

WOMEN SCREAM CONTINUOUSLY

Prague, September 22. THE MAYOR OF PRAGUE, M. ZINKLER, announced by radio that the Government had tendered its resignation to Dr. Edouard Benes, President of the Republic of Czechoslovakia. M. Zinkler added that a Cabinet of national concentration with military participation will be formed. No announcement has yet been made from official Government sources but the reconstruction of the Cabinet is plainly in the process of realisation.

The official news of the resignation of the Cabinet will probably be made public at the same time as the announcement of the re-constituted Cabinet.

The Mayor of Prague, who is widely known as Dr. Benes' right-hand man, is mentioned as the probable future Prime Minister.

The Mayor, in his broadcast, mentioned as one likely military member to participate, General Sirovy, Inspector-General of the Army, who is a national hero.

Two other military representatives will be included in the Cabinet.—Reuter.

"GIVE US ARMS"

Prague, Sept. 22. The resignation of the Hodza Cabinet was announced to-day shortly after 11 o'clock to crowds demonstrating before the Parliament building.

The announcement was received with tremendous enthusiasm. Cries of "long live the army" and "give us arms" were raised while the demonstrators unceasingly shouted in chorus, "we want a military dictatorship."

Although no official information concerning the new Cabinet is yet forthcoming, it is believed that a concentration Government will be formed which will include leaders of all Czech Parties.—Transocean.

SAME SIX PARTIES

Prague, Sept. 22. Political circles here hope it will be possible to form the new Cabinet this afternoon since the

city is now calmer and troops and police generally are in control of the streets.

It is expected that the new Government will be composed of the representatives of the same six Czech Parties which supported the Hodza Cabinet. In the new Cabinet, however, and in order to enhance its authority, it is considered likely that the representatives will be the leaders themselves of the respective parties and that the War Ministry will be entrusted to a General.

Although a strong current of opinion still continues for the demand of the appointment of a General as Prime Minister, it would appear that the Parties have unanimously decided that the Mayor of Prague shall be appointed to that post.—Transocean.

ARMY STANDING FIRM

Prague, Sept. 22. General Sirovy, Inspector-General of the Czech Army, spoke to crowds through loudspeakers to-day, urging them to be calm and return to their work or their homes.

He added that the army was standing firm and that the frontiers were strongly guarded.

The nation could rely on the valour of the troops, he said.—Reuter.

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SO MAHOMET WENT TO THE MOUNTAIN

By Jack Chen



Sports Forecasts

Forecasts on the Home football results, by "TeleScore," appear in to-day's issue of the "Hongkong Daily Press" on Page 10. "Last Quarter's" forecasts of the races to-morrow appear on Page 10.

Final race tips will be published to-morrow.

COMPLICATIONS BOUND TO ARISE

If Minorities Problem Is Not Solved

London, Sept. 22. The Polish and Hungarian demands for equal consideration with the Sudeten Germans in the solution of the minorities controversy have apparently had a pronounced effect on official circles here since this morning's papers are practically unanimous in declaring that, unless the minorities question is solved completely, complications are bound to arise in the near future. The fact that Poland has massed 200,000 troops on the Czech frontier is regarded as an ominous sign.

The "Times" emphasizes that by demanding too much all could be lost and points out that the burning question is that of the German minority and not of the others. The Prague correspondent to the "Times" remarks, however, that as a result of the Anglo-French change of policy the Czechoslovak State stands to lose western (Continued on Page 9)

1,000 Killed, Injured Japanese Bombings In Kwangsi

Canton, Sept. 22. More than 1,000 civilians are reported to have been killed and injured since Sept. 17 following the intensive Japanese bombings of the four leading cities in Kwangsi, namely, Wuchow, Nanning, Lunghow and Kweilin.

An official statement released by the Canton office of the Kwangsi Pacification Headquarters here revealed that 500 non-combatants were killed and wounded in Wuchow and Nanning on September 19 alone, more than 300 houses were completely levelled and 160 other buildings partly destroyed, rendering 3,000 people homeless.—Central News.

U.S.S. NASHVILLE

London, Sept. 22. It is understood that the U.S.S. Nashville, which is at present at Gravesend, will remain in European waters indefinitely, according to instructions from Washington.—Reuter Bulletin.

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PROGRAMME OF CHAMBERLAIN'S CONFERENCE

London, Sept. 22. The "Times" claims, in its late London edition, to be able to reveal the programme drawn up by the British Prime Minister for his conference with Herr Adolf Hitler at Godesberg to-day.

No official confirmation it adds, however, has so far been obtained concerning the specific points of the programme which, in the "Times" version, reads as follows:

Appointment of an international commission to fix the new frontiers of Czechoslovakia and to make preparations for an exchange of the populations in the territories of mixed nationality.

Immediate reduction of the military measures in the two respective frontier zones to normal state.

A joint appeal by Hitler, and all parties concerned, for peace and order in the meantime to make it possible for an accord to be put into effect.

Granting of certain guarantees for a preservation and affirmation of the integrity of the new Czechoslovak State.

According to the "Times," it is expected that certain economic guarantees will be likewise included in this last point of the programme.—Transocean.

JAPANESE ARMY READY FOR PEACE

But War Minister Will Continue

Shanghai Sept. 22. Various peace movements started in the name of Chinese in Shanghai and Peiping are sponsored, by the Japanese military authorities to indicate that they wish to cease hostilities without loss of face.

It is pointed out here that no Chinese bodies in territory under Japanese occupation can issue any statement save with the permission of inspiration of the Japanese military.

Competent observers believe that the Japanese army is ready for an armistice after a decisive victory, although the Japanese War Minister, Lieut.-General Shiro Itagaki, declared in Tokyo that he was prepared to fight for another ten years.

According to Tokyo reports, the drop of the yen, labour restrictions, economic stress, the heavy casualties in China and the decline of Japanese export trade are causes for the growing anti-war sentiment in Japan.—International

JAPANESE LOSSES IN THREE BATTLES TOTAL THOUSANDS

Many Deaths Reported Also In Juichang Area

Hankow, September 22. A CHINESE MILITARY SPOKESMAN, in an interview yesterday, declared that the total Japanese casualties in the battle of Hwangchwan, Shangcheng, and Fuchingshan are estimated at 38,000 men.

During the battles of Shangcheng and Fuchingshan, he revealed, more than 10,000 Japanese bodies were counted on the battlefield, together with numerous field pieces, tanks, machine-guns, rifles and other equipment which were seized by the Chinese army.

At Hwangchwan, the Chinese defenders braved repeated gas attacks and inflicted at least 5,000 casualties on the invaders.

The spokesman categorically denied groundless Japanese reports alleging serious losses suffered by the Chinese at Hwangchwan. He said that Hwangchwan city, according to latest field despatches, was still firmly held in Chinese hands against terrific assaults by the enemy.—Central News.

JAPANESE LOSE 10,000

Nanchang, Sept. 22. The total loss of Japanese men killed in the Juichang area and along the Nanchang-Kiangsi railway in north Kiangsi during the past several weeks was estimated by Chinese military quarters at more than 10,000, including over 100 officers of all ranks and below the rank of colonel.

The total Chinese losses, although undisclosed, are admitted to be heavy.—Central News.

QUEEN RETURNS TO LONDON

London, Sept. 22. The Queen returned to London from Balmoral Castle by the night express and arrived at Buckingham Palace early this morning.—British Wireless.

Bombing In China Calls For Concrete Action

—DR. WELLINGTON KOO

DEMAND MADE AT LEAGUE ASSEMBLY MEETING

Geneva, September 22. Opposition to any purely objective resolution on aerial bombing of civilians was expressed by China's delegate, Dr. Wellington Koo, at a meeting of the Disarmament Committee of the League Assembly here to-day.

Dr. Koo said that the situation in the Far East was known to the world.

Evidence was not lacking for the condemnation of Powers guilty of such a ruthless method of warfare, and unless rules were formulated with reference to concrete facts they would not be of great service. The methods employed in China called not only for condemnation, said Dr. Koo, but also demanded concrete action.

The Committee decided to refer to the Drafting Committee the task of drawing up a resolution for submission to the Assembly.—Reuter.

NEW AIR LINK NEXT MONTH

Singapore And Hongkong

Scrivenhage, Sept. 22. An air service between Singapore and Hongkong by means of KLM and Air France will possibly start next month, but only in the direction of Hongkong. This return connection will be difficult, as Air France machines from Hongkong arrive at Saigon on Saturdays and KLM leave on Wednesdays for Singapore. The Postmaster-General of the Netherlands Indies and French Indo-China are at present studying the subject.—Reuter.

THE DOLLAR

N.Y. ON NEW YORK: 28-7/8. LONDON: 14-2/8d. London Silver Market (Our Own Correspondent) London, Sept. 22. London silver prices today were up 1/16 for Spot and unchanged for Forward. Sept. 21 Sept. 22 Spot 19-1/4 19-5/16 Forward 19-1/8 19-1/8

"European Peace Is What I Am Aiming At"

—MR. CHAMBERLAIN

STATEMENT BEFORE AIR JOURNEY TO MEET CHANCELLOR

London, September 22.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Chamberlain, accompanied by his advisers, left Heston aerodrome at 10.45 this morning for Godesberg where at 3 o'clock this afternoon conversations with Herr Hitler, which were begun at Berchtesgaden a week ago, will be resumed.

The German Charge d'Affaires, Dr. Kordt and the French Ambassador, M. Corbin, were at Heston to bid Mr. Chamberlain good-speed.

EVACUATION OF EGER DISTRICT

Czech Troops Leave Without Bloodshed

Eger, Sept. 22. Evacuation by Czech troops of Eger district was carried out without bloodshed. Not a shot was fired as Czech military police and gendarmes marched in big groups to the nearest village by the so-called language frontier.

Four Sudeten leaders now control the town. They state that they negotiated with Prague last night, with the result that the Czech military volunteers agreed to remain in barracks.

Thousands of people last night roamed the streets until dawn waiting for the entry of the German Army, which, however, did not move.

Evacuation of Sudetenland by Czech troops began at noon to-day.—Reuter.

The Prime Minister travelled in the British Airways new 14 super-electron plane which recently made a record-breaking flight from London to Stockholm and back.

Before entering the cabin of the aeroplane, he said: "The peaceful solution of the Czechoslovak problem is an essential preliminary to better understanding between the British and German peoples. That, in its turn, is an indispensable foundation of European peace, and European peace is what I am aiming at. I hope this journey may open the way to getting it."

It is reported from Godesberg that the Fuehrer arrived there by special train this morning, accompanied by some of his Ministers. The British Ambassador in Berlin, Sir Neville Henderson, and members of his staff will also be in Godesberg by the time the Prime Minister arrives.

About one hour after Mr. Chamberlain left Heston, news agencies' reports from Prague stated that Dr. Hodza, Prime Minister, had placed the resignation of the (Continued on Page 9)

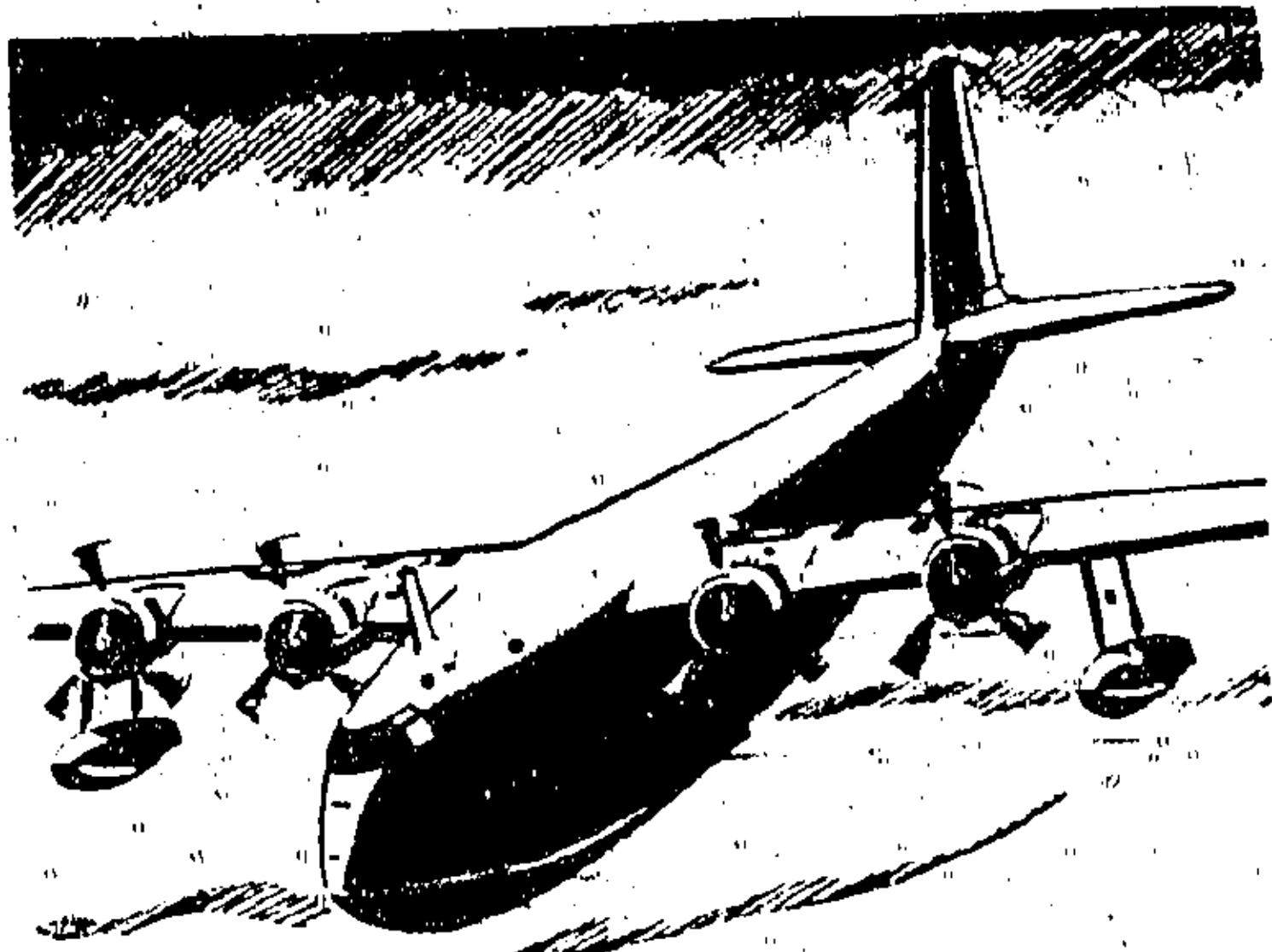
Guerillas Launch Surprise Attack Outside Great Wall

Sian, September 22. Chinese guerilla troops, launching a surprise attack on a Japanese cavalry detachment proceeding westward from Wucheng in north Shanxi outside the Great Wall, succeeded in killing a large number of the enemy force at Wangkiachwang on September 22.

The Japanese later opened a counter-attack and charged the Chinese posts several times. The Chinese troops offered stubborn resistance and inflicted further heavy losses on the invaders until more Japanese arrived, when they retreated.—Central News.

AMERICAN SHORE DEVASTATED

New York, Sept. 22. Great stretches of the eastern shore of the United States were devastated to-day by hurricanes and storms. Hitherto, 127 deaths are reported while 100 are missing and thousands are homeless.—Reuter Bulletin.



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96 ARRESTED IN POLICE RAID

Boarding House
Cricket Fights

CRUELTY CHARGE

Fights to the death between enraged crickets, goaded on into battle by long slim "tickling brushes," made from rat's whiskers, attracted to the third floor of Wo Ping Boarding House, in Nathan Road, on Wednesday, no fewer than 96 old men, middle-aged men, and boys.

Their ages ranged from 66 to 12. They were all there to risk their money on one famous battling cricket or another. Of these men, 32 were classified as sailors, tailors, shop folks, painters, travelling salesmen, etc. The other 64 were simply termed "unemployed."

On the same day, Det. Sub. Insp. C. Mottram led a police raid on the boarding-house. Rooms 106 and 121 and the verandah on to which they opened formed the main objective of the raid. There the police arrested the 96 men, four of whom were charged with keeping a common gaming-house, the others with gambling.

At the Kowloon Court, yesterday, before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, only seven of the defendants pleaded "not guilty." These included Tsui Nam, 45, and Tsung Sau, 43, alleged to be the men who, with their brushes, urged the crickets on to battle.

All defendants who had managed to put up \$5 bail, pleading guilty, were fined \$3 each. All unable to put up bail, pleading guilty, were fined \$2 each. In default three days in gaol.

Sin Chun, 50, and Tung, 38, who pleaded guilty to charges of keeping the gaming house, and of cruelty to the crickets, were fined \$100 and \$50, respectively, on the first charge and \$10 each on the second charge.

Those who pleaded not guilty will appear before Mr. Macfadyen to-morrow, when their defence will be heard.

In describing the raid, Sub. Insp. Mottram stated that the second defendant produced a key to a drawer in the first defendant's room. In that drawer were found papers relating to crickets. Under a pillow in the second defendant's room was found an account book relating to proceeds of the gaming-house.

The only evidence the police have to offer against second and third defendants is that they were seen urging the crickets on to battle with the aid of the long slim brushes.

WOODEN TUB "ARENA"

The "arena," or "ring," in which the battles were fought was a wooden tub 1½ to 2 feet in diameter.

A pair of special scales was also found in the rooms. Sub. Insp. Mottram said he believed these were for weighing the crickets to group them into various classes, "such as pantumweight, lightweight, etc."

Both in the rooms and on the verandah were found earthenware pots and hollow bamboo tubes full of live crickets, presumably "held in readiness to take the ring."

No table money was found. Mr. Macfadyen ordered that all the crickets should be released.

TOOLS STOLEN FROM CAR

Convicted by Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Court yesterday on a charge of larceny of \$20 worth of tools from motor car No. 5298, belonging to Miss P. J. Anderson, of No. 23 Kai Tak Bund, Li Man-kwong, 18, was fined \$25 or, in default, one month's hard labour.

Broker Claims Damages For Harbour Ducking

Sequel To Collision In
Connaught Road

Before Mr. Justice E. H. Williams in the Summary Court yesterday Mr. Alexander Hutton Potts, well-known local sharebroker, brought a claim for \$1,000 damages from Tsang Ping-kwong, owner of a lorry which was involved in a collision with Mr. Potts' car on July 9 in Connaught Road West.

Claimant was represented by Mr. D. B. Evans, while Mr. W. A. Mackinlay was for the defence.

Mr. Evans, in outlining the case, said that plaintiff and his wife left their house in Pokfulam about 7.30 p.m. on July 9 for the Vehicular Ferry Wharf in a small American Austin seven, which had a left hand drive, and as Mr. Potts had frequently done before, he chose the route down Western Street.

When nearing the junction of Western Street and Connaught Road West, Mr. Potts went slower than ever as he knew that the corner was a dangerous one.

He brought his car almost to a standstill, and asked his wife to satisfy herself that there was nothing coming from her side, while he himself kept a careful lookout on his own side. They saw nothing, and accordingly proceeded to turn into Connaught Road.

When they were about three-quarters of the way across the road and about to straighten out to go towards the ferry wharf, they felt a violent shock, not so much an impact, as a terrific push, from behind.

Immediately afterwards, the car started to spin so violently that both Mr. Potts and his wife were unable to say whether it went round once or twice. Following the spin, the car went backwards towards the water edge.

Mr. Potts endeavoured to stop this by accelerating violently but this had no effect, and the car, with them in it went into the harbour. Mercifully, Mr. and Mrs. Potts managed to get out, but the car remained in the bottom of the harbour until the next morning, when it was salvaged and found to be a total wreck.

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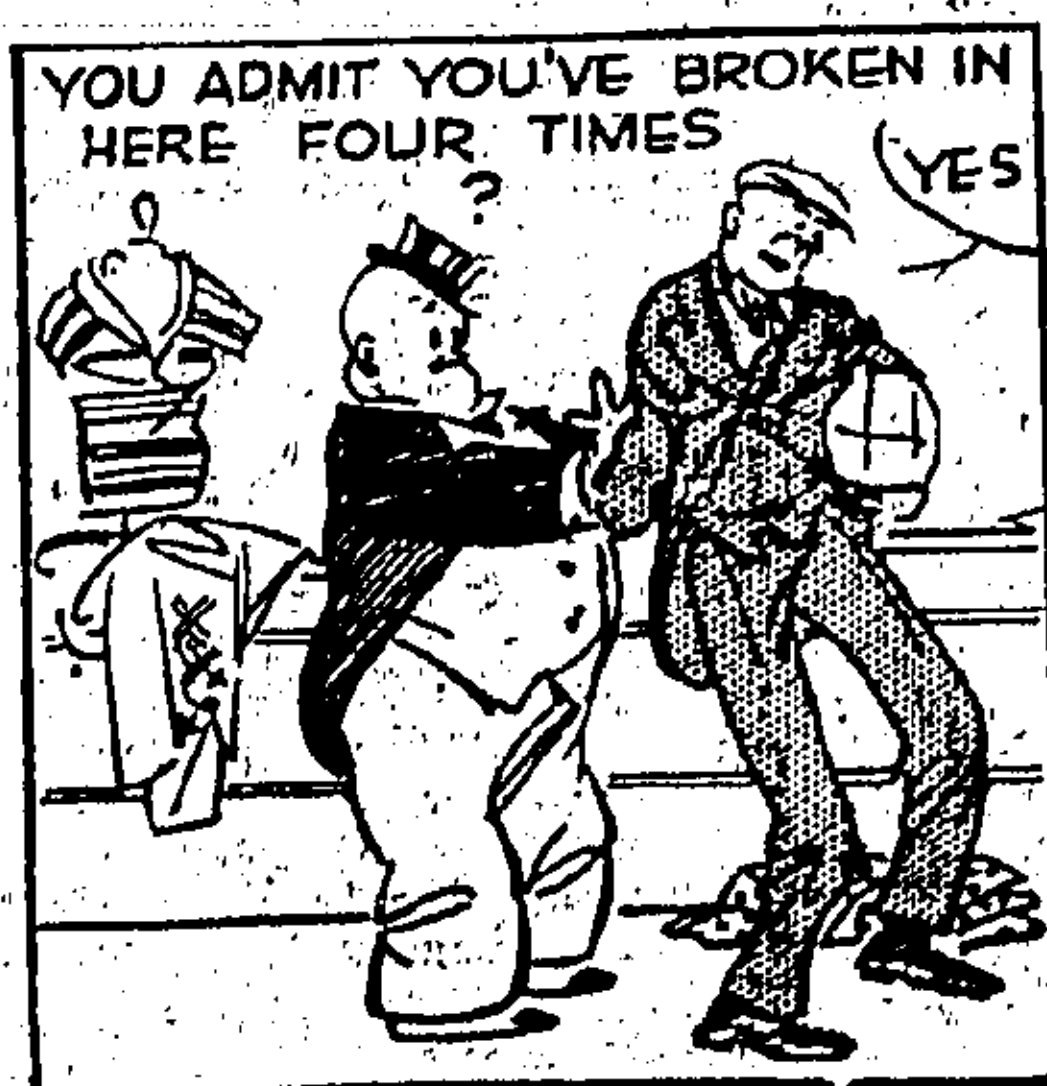
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CONFIDE IN FAITH PRIOR

WHAT-TO-DO has a simple problem of doubt and faltering with a young man friend and fears to take too much for granted.

He is no more than a friend, and perhaps never will be. Get this firmly into your mind and let your attitude to him match this. Girls often weave romances around associations never dreamed of as anything else but friendship by the men concerned.

Thinking and wondering is producing in you a self-conscious attitude which is causing awkwardness without need. If you thought of him only as a friend, casual invitations to your people's home would not cause any unease, nor would he, if invited, feel uneasy.

There is far more social freedom and laxity these days than before the war. Behave naturally, and do not speculate too much, preparing yourself for disappointment, by stopping dreaming about the future.

It looks as if he might be interested, but there is no way of telling until he makes up his mind.

THREATENED is a girl of 20, whose wish to marry her fiancé is causing incredible antagonism and scenes in her home.

You are earning, responsible, decent and purposeful, and so is your fiancé. Grown-up young women cannot, for any genuine reason, be placed under any authoritative control if they stand their ground in full justification of their honesty in doing so.

If things are so unbearable at home, and you feel honestly positive it is not through anything faulty in your fiancé's character, or behaviour, nor in your own, then it might be wise to board somewhere else for a while. You are an adult, though you cannot marry without consent until you attain your majority at the age of 21. That is not long to wait, and you are busy and contented with thoughts of your future, or you would not want to rush into it.

Be wise, retain your sense of proportion, and realise that marriage lasts a very long while and youth and freedom soon vanish.

IN NEED OF ADVICE is an inexperienced girl who learned to dance in order to meet bright young people, and, at one dance recently met a young man who made little love to her, said she was wonderful, then neglected her entirely from then onward.

Right from the start—understand this man is a bit old-fashioned—he still has what a few years ago, was called a line. Perhaps most girls, full of dreams, and naturally wanting happiness and love, have similar experiences at dances.

Dancing is quite natural with the young, and carefree. Do not blame learning to dance for your

disillusion. One need not be a wallflower to find out that man, young men utter things they do not mean. At the moment you might have seemed wonderful to him, at your best in a pretty frock.

But love is not such a rocket-like development, and you really fell in love with love itself. Young people do learn to laugh at such petty interludes, and accept them as part of growing up. Love will come in its proper time and then you will see the difference between that and fancy.

TONGUE-TIED asks how one becomes a good conversationalist. She never feels that people are interested in what she says, consequently she feels awkward and constrained socially.

You can learn a great deal about conversation by listening to others and observing the manner in which their conversation is received.

The woman who talks of nothing but children, housework, clothes; the lawyer whose conversation centres about legal precedents; the financier whose speech deals solely with the fluctuations of the market. These self-centred people are social impostors and are avoided rather than sought.

Avocations make for more interesting conversation though the ardent hobbyist can become a bore if he has words for nothing but his own hobby.

The most important conversational asset is to be able to adapt yourself to your audience. The best conversationalist that I think of is the man who talks in a casual, easy manner on varied subjects.

He never talks at length, but says a few words which keeps the conversational ball rolling and enables others to talk with ease. He is adroit at asking questions and thus discovering the interests of his associates. He does not drag out his personal affairs for casual acquaintances.

Reserve your intimate conversation for intimate friends. It is disconcerting and embarrassing to have someone parade their personal history in a public manner. Don't talk for the sake of talking. Make your listeners feel that you have something to say and not talking for the pleasure of hearing your own voice or relieving your own pent-up emotions.

(Each week in this column, Faith Prior answers questions of a personal nature submitted by readers of the Daily Press.)

When rings, brooches, or any jewellery that is set with stones requires cleaning, care must be taken not to loosen the stones in their setting. Small trinkets may be soaked for a few minutes in an egg-cup half-full of eau de Cologne. Larger ones may be laid in a saucer while eau de Cologne is freely applied to them with a soft camel-hair brush.

Fashion PRE-VIEW

Round The Shops

This in-between season may give you all a headache. Sales are nearly over. Yet the new winter styles have not decided exactly what trend they will follow. Ladies are studying fashion articles and planning their wardrobe for the coming season. However, there are several accessories purchased at this time which relieve, dress-up or rejuvenate the costumes worn during the September and early October days. Our shops are doing quite well this way.

Thrilling Bonnets

There is nothing like a new hat to put that tilt to your head and outfit! A large new autumn selection has arrived at one of the larger shops in town.

Sports, dressy, spectator sports styles to suit practically each day-time occasion. Vels are a high note, and prove more popular than during the past season. However, you will note that the vels do not hang loose, but are drawn tighter about the face. They are of finer texture, and the designs are smaller.

One outstanding model in black felt, pan cake style, has a black patent-leather lacing trim and a black veil which finishes in the back with a large bow. Very chic and daring—but just such a hat will dress up the afternoon or informal dinner dress.

The darker shades are in the majority, but the vivid shades with bright coloured contrasts are much in evidence.

The beret, sombrero, high crown, no-crown, Tyrolean, jockey, pill-box, fez, shapes are all portrayed in the hat fashion picture for the winter. You can find "The hat" for your face and costume in this shop.

Gay Handbags

A bright scarlet bag, or one of golden brown, vivid blue, rust, or pink will bring out the smartness in a sombre street dress or suit. One of the Kowloon shops offers the best selection seen so far in winter handbags.

Match your bag with a hat trim or dress trim, or may be a coloured blouse of a suit.

These bags, all made of suede, make the striking note. The interiors have the zipper compartment, of course, the mirror, coin-purse, combs, and plenty of room for assorted articles. Styles are varied—the handle, envelope, pouch and smaller sack-type are found in varied colours.

Black suedes, dark brown and a few navies are in this group, and the styles are very new and different.

Any information pertaining to these items may be obtained from Barbara Lee, 30251, or enclose a self addressed envelope to the "Daily Press."

FASHION COLOURS

More and more smart women today are realising the importance of making their homes not only the backgrounds for their personalities but also fashionable backgrounds for the type or colour of their clothes.

To give a brief example, a black frock does not show up so well in a room chiefly furnished in brown and beige shades as it does in a room where black or a vivid colour is the accent.

Two different tones which are being greatly used in the latest interior decorating schemes are very rich dark sapphire blue and also a purply wine shade.

All To Match

Either of these harmonises with the current fashionable shades in the dress world, and rooms furnished with them "match up" with the hostess as a frame fits a picture.

Heavy velvet curtains, in these colourings, are being used for rooms where the walls are treated

DRESSMAKER NOTE IN CLOTHES

Return To Fussiness

The dressmaker note has crept not only into dresses this season but also into suits and coats. This means that lines are fussier and there is more extraneous matter associated with them. Dresses have more pleats, and the general effect is softer—sometimes also more foolish. Suits, instead of suggesting seams and plainness, have trimmings and fittings. In the black wool Creed suit fitting is emphasised, and all the edges are finished with astrakhan.

A high light is given by the blouse, the collar of which just shows. This is of gold lame, striped with black and red. The bag and gloves are made by Creed to go with the suit and to add to its details. This is an immense change from the hitherto severe outlines of this designer.

This note comes out in morning dresses, chiefly in the full, gathered skirts, and in gathiers or braided skirts about the neck. Usually, too, the sleeves, even if plain and straight, have the humpy or gathered shoulders, probably with some padding in them.

There are a good many shirt-and-skirt dresses—that is to say, with plain fitting skirts and shirt-like tops—but these are much varied with pockets. They also may have the humpy sleeves and are made of extremely variegated materials, plaids, checks, stripes, in unusually bright colours.

AFTERNOON FROCKS

The dressmaker note is, however, much more evident in afternoon, and dinner dresses, which are more easily classed together than are dinner and full-dress evening frocks. Many afternoon frocks have short full skirts, which do not, however, look bunched.

If the skirts are plain then the top usually has a pleat, which adds variety to them and sticks out well beyond them. This reaches to within three or four inches of the knee.

Various kinds of material are put together. Thus the semi-transparent bodice has come in again, the front being like an apron bib gathered up to the throat and the short sleeves and shoulders being of transparent lace.

Wool and moire are used together alternately to make a flared



Feminine Romanticism is expressed in the person of lovely Margaret Sullivan, M.G.M. actress, who wears a garden frock of white organdy with skirt of tiered ruffles outlined with scallops of self-material, and long close sleeves with shoulder puffs. The undulating hat is of horse-hair, with red rose and velvet ribbon detail.

ed in pastel grey tones.

The rather Regency shades of dull olive green, grey blues and lime yellow are also very smart. There are fewer all white rooms today, and this fashion is giving way to a desire for more colour in the home.

There is also a return to greater ornamentation. Bare walls are disappearing, and just as there is greater decoration seen in the new season's dresses, there is also greater "trimming" seen in modern rooms, achieved by pictures, bibelots and "objects d'art."

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Pick up your knitting needles, go to town and get your yarn and knitting guide book. By the end of next month, at least, you will be the proud possessor of a knit suit which will give you no end of uses.

The travellers in cooler weather cherish a knit suit and dress with several sweaters to wear with light weight woolen skirts. They pack so easily, little cleaning and hardly any crushing.

Schoolgirls' hearts are gladdened with a knit dress and plenty of sweaters, and the ladies who remain at home in the winter can always find plenty of uses for knit apparel.

LOVELY COLOURS

The colours in the new yarns are beautiful, some wild and of course, the conservative darker shades. Combination of colours is very good this year. Green and blues, black and white, brown and gold, pink and black are a few of the outstanding groupings.

Heavy and thin wools, are equally popular and the old favorite nonstretch boucle is holding its own.

Sweaters are quite a bit longer in the waist this coming year. A few have fitted waists, round necks are back in the rage and long sleeves. Though the above the elbow sleeve is still good style for the younger people.

A great deal of camel hair yarn is being made into sweaters which are worn with camel hair skirts. This ensemble is very good for spectator and outdoor sports activities and is very smart in appearance. All colourings of complexion can wear this tan shade well.

If you are going in to snow during the winter, or have friends and foes in such climate, a ski suit of woollen pants, a knitted and leather sweater, is welcome. Also, the mittens, gloves and cap

Jewels In The Hair

The Edwardian coiffure has brought into fashion again back hair-slides. For women realise that there is no other way of keeping the hair up when it seems bent on falling down.

As a result, jewellers are making hair-slides suitable for wear with Edwardian evening ensembles. A bar or crescent-shaped strip of graduated pearls may hold up the back hair at the crown of the head. Other attractive slides are of leaf-shape set with diamonds and carved sapphires, while rubies in the form of flowers, stars, and butterflies worked in rubies and baguette diamonds are other new ideas.

These jewelled hair-slides are made in all sizes to suit all coiffures. If desired, a head may be fairly besprinkled with glittering slides—a set of the same design consisting of, say, a large, a medium, and a tiny twinkling clip to secure just a few stray hairs.

with muffer all contrasting is new and dazzling.

Don't forget the wool knitted socks for such weather, you can let your imagination run races with the colour scheme for these, and all will be right up to the minute in style.

TEACHERS' BOOKS

There is absolutely no reason why you should pay prices for hand knit suits, dresses and other garments. Teachers' and knitting books will carry you through the worst pattern you choose. The store where you buy your materials will always assist you in any difficult with your knitting. And voilà! you have a handsome dress, sweater or whatever garment you make, for only the cost of your yarn.

Begin to study your colour schemes for your fall wardrobe and remember you will not be up to the minute of smartness unless you have several sweaters, and at least one knit dress or suit.

Get the knitting needles "out and off you go. Knit one pearl two." It is also very good for the summer nerves you find yourself burdened with these days.

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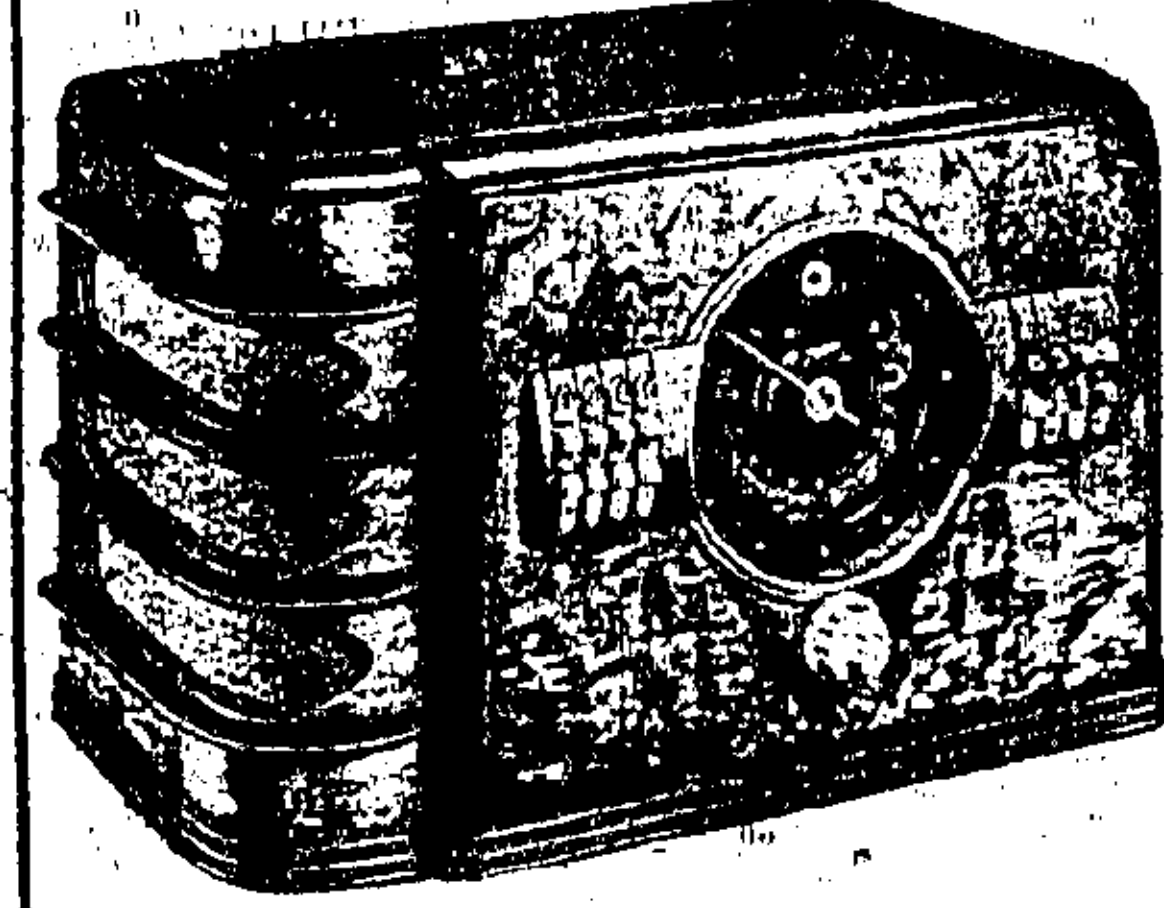


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THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

LAUNCH OF H.M.S. PELICAN

H.M.S. Pelican, escort vessel was successfully launched from the shipbuilding yard of Messrs Thornycroft at Woolston, Southampton. The naming ceremony was performed by Mrs. Raymond Rogers, daughter of Rear-Admiral J. H. Edgell, the Hydrographer of the Navy.

The Pelican is one of the Bittern class of escort vessels, of 1,100 tons; she will be armed with six or eight 4in. high-angle guns which can also be used as anti-torpedo craft armament. It was originally intended that she would be fitted for surveying duties, but that intention has now been abandoned.

After the launch Messrs. Thornycroft entertained a large party of guests at luncheon at the Southwestern Hotel, Southampton. After the toast usual on such occasions, Rear-Admiral Edgell gave a brief outline of the history of former Pelicans in the Navy, where the name is much honoured.

Drake's famous Golden Hind was named Pelican at the outset of his voyage of circumnavigation; after her return from her three-year voyage, when Drake was knighted on her quarterdeck, she was laid up in an earthen dock in the Thames, where she survived for 100 years. No one of the 15 Pelicans that succeeded her in the Navy was ever sunk or captured by an enemy.

Sir John Thornycroft described the qualities of the ship just put afloat. In welcoming the naval and other guests present he expressed the particular satisfaction of his firm at the presence of representatives of the Turkish and Brazilian Governments.

It would be well known to the company present that the Turkish Government was about to renovate its national defences, a work in which he hoped that British firms would have a hand.

With the Brazilian Government Messrs. Thornycroft were already in close relations, since they had in hand for that country, with the approval of H.M. Government, two destroyers, the second of which would be laid down immediately on the slip just vacated by the Pelican.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS
The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—

Cdr.—H. J. Jaynes, D.S.C., to Walker, in command, aptt. to Terror cancelled; St. J. A. Micklethwait to Vimy, in command, aptt. for Tactical crse. cancelled (Sept. 10).
Lt.-Cdr.—N. J. Crossley, to Vortigern, in command, aptt. for Tactical crse. cancelled; C. A. de W. Kitear, to Versaille, in command, aptt. for Tactical crse. cancelled (Sept. 10); M. J. Evans, R.E. Honnywill, M. H. Brown, to Victory for Tactical crse. (Sept. 26); A. Gray, aptt. to Reput cancelled.

Payr. Lt.-Cdr.—A. R. Phillips, to Colombo (Sept. 13).
Lts.—H. E. Jackson, to Vortigern; B. G. B. Borden, to Vortigern, aptt. to Caledonia cancelled; R. D. Ritchie, to Versaille; W. J. Van de Kastele, to Versaille, aptt. to Excellent for crse. cancelled; R. A. Phipps, to Walker, aptt. to Excellent for crse. cancelled; P. W. F. Stubbs, to Walker; R. I. Alexander-Sinclair, to Vimy, aptt. to Excellent for crse. cancelled; D. Williams, to Vimy (Sept. 10); J. G. Hopkins, to Rodney (Sept. 16); D. S. Tibbitts, to Berwick (Sept. 19).
Sub-Lt.—A. C. D. Leach, to Versaille (Sept. 10).
Act Sub-Lts.—J. Easton and C. R. Bax, to Vortigern and Vimy respectively, aptts. to Osprey for crse. cancelled; D. N. H. Ogilvy, to Walker, aptt. to Vernon cancelled (Sept. 10).
Cd. Gunner (T)—G. J. Parker, to Versaille (Sept. 10).
Cd. Supply Officer—A. W. Richards, to Resolution (Sept. 14).
Gunners (T)—J. F. Hebron, to Vimy; G. Casey, to Vortigern (Sept. 10).

PROMOTIONS
Cd. S.O.—J. S. Devitt, to rank of Payr. Lt. (seny. Aug. 24) and aptt. to Pembroke (Sept. 15).
W.S.O.—J. Storey, to rank of Cd. Supply Officer (seny. Aug. 24).

MORE INDIAN RULERS OFFER THEIR AID
Simla, Sept. 22
Two more Indian rulers yesterday sent messages to the Viceroy of India offering the resources of their states to the King-Emperor in the event of war. Altogether 14 rulers have now made such an offer.—Reuter.

THE ARMY

EAST ANGLIAN DIVISION
Major-General R. M. Larkock, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., completed his tenure in command of the 54th (East Anglian) Division recently and was succeeded by Major-General J. H. T. Priestman, C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., who has just completed the training of the 13th Infantry Brigade in Yorkshire and Durham.

Major-General Priestman has had this brigade 1934, and his tenure has included duty with the International Force in the Saar Territory, and in Palestine with his battalion. He is a Lincolnshire Officer, colonel of the regiment, and was made A.D.C. to the King last November, an appointment which he vacated recently on promotion.

SERVICE BEYOND 21 YEARS
In order to remove the block in promotion, continuance in the Service beyond 21 years will in future be limited to one year only in the case of artillery artificers below the rank of First Class Warrent Officer. Those holding the latter rank may continue to serve to the age of 54 years under the conditions existing heretofore.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

SUB-DEPOT FOR RECRUITS

The opening of a further sub-depot for recruits at the station at Dishforth, Yorks, is indicated in Air Ministry appointments published below. Squadron Leader W. T. F. Wightman is posted in command of this new sub-depot. Squadron Leader Wightman was promoted on August 1, while serving with No. 502 (County of Nottingham) Squadron of the Auxiliary Air Force.

Squadron Leader E. M. Drummond has been appointed for signals duties at the Electrical and Wireless School, Cranwell, in which branch he specialized in 1928. He has served in Iraq with No. 84 Squadron, and since 1935 has been employed on signals staff duties in the Bomber Command at Uxbridge.

R.A.F. APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments in the Royal Air Force are notified:—
GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH
Squadron Leaders.—E. M. Drummond, to Electrical and Wireless School, Cranwell, for signals duties; W. T. F. Wightman, to Recruits Sub-Depot, Dishforth, to command (Aug. 29).

GERMAN WHO FOUGHT FOR BRITAIN

Now A Man Without Country

Wilhelm Gebhardt (48), a German who fought for Britain in the war, is a man without a country.

He came to England from Germany in 1904 and in 1914 enlisted in the Honourable Artillery Company, being given a commission in the field in 1916 and winning several distinctions. He also went to India and served in the frontier force in the Khyber Pass. On September 8, at Westminster, he pleaded guilty to stealing 30s. by means of a trick from a publican, having tendered a worthless Greek note.

A police officer said that in 1935 Gebhardt had been recommended for deportation. Mr. Ronald Powell, the magistrate, said that as the man lost his German nationality by serving in the British Army it was difficult to understand how he could be recommended for deportation. He remanded Gebhardt for inquiries to be made into the matter.

U.S. AIR CHIEF KILLED

Washington, Sept. 22
Major General Oscar Westover, Chief of the United States Air Corps, was killed in a plane crash near Vulture, California yesterday.—Reuter.

STRICT CURFEW IN PALESTINE

Jerusalem, Sept. 22
Curfew is being strictly maintained in the ten towns and also in the southern section of the Palestine railways.—Reuter.

Flashes From Szechuen

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

Rich Harvest

In view of the rich harvest, the Szechuen Provincial Government is co-operating with the Central Agriculture Bureau to set up storehouses in different hsien. The Bureau will collect different agricultural products from the villagers at ordinary market prices. The work of storing will proceed first from western Szechuen.

Service Corps

Many staff members discharged from government organisations owing to the war have been formed into an Emergency Service Corps in Hankow. The Corps has six groups and is now rendering service in various provinces to help the local governments to handle the works of communication, relief of refugees, patriotic propaganda and miscellaneous war-time works. The headquarters of the Corps has been removed to Chungking from Hankow.

Statue of General

The late General Wong Meng-cheng, gallant defender of Tauchien, in the southern section of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, will be remembered here by a statue which is to be erected in Chengtu Park by public subscriptions.

War Wail Camp

The War Districts' Children's Relief Association will establish a camp for juvenile refugees in Wutungchiao and another in Tszeliching, along the Chungking-Chengtu highway.

Sikang Note Issue

Authorised by the Central Government, the Reconstruction Council of Sikang will shortly issue banknotes to the value of \$5,000,000 to be used in Sikang. General Liu Wen-hui, Governor of Sikang, left Chengtu for Sikang early this month.

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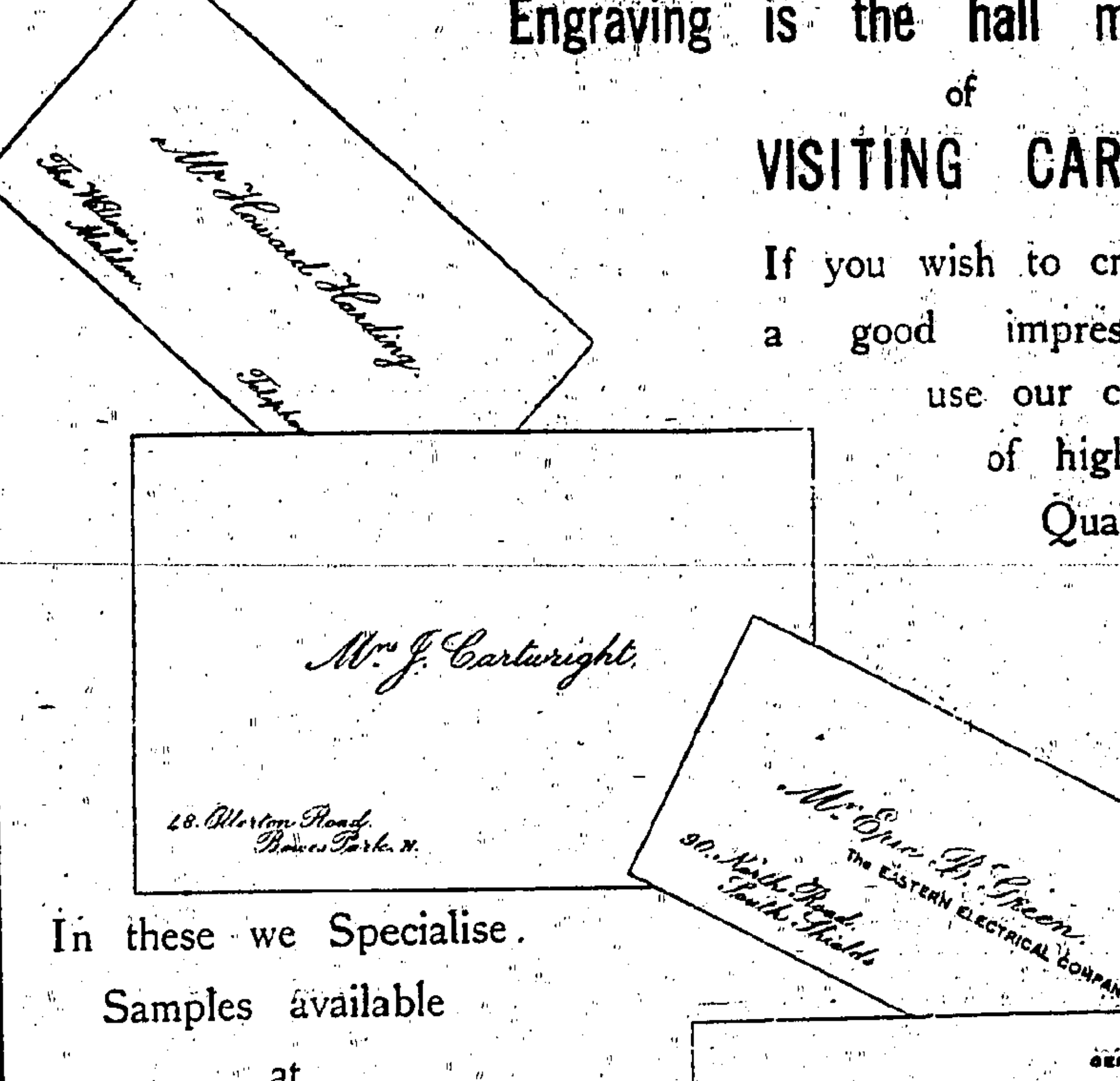
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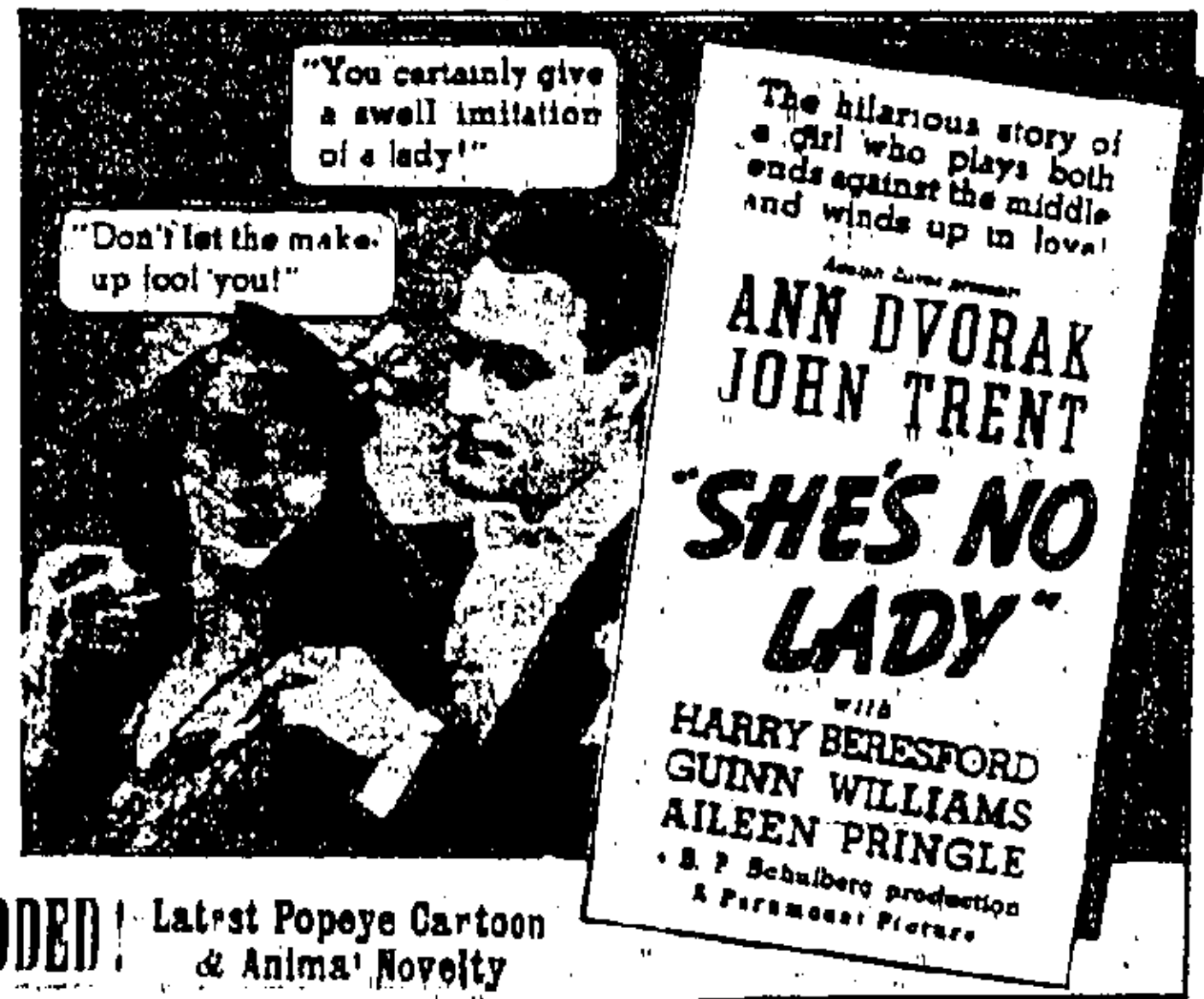
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THIRD FILM OF DIONNE QUINTUPLETS

Today's Screenings

Hong Kong

KING'S:
"Stand In"
QUEEN'S:
"She's No Lady"
ORIENTAL:
"Navy Blue and Gold"
Kowloon
ALHAMBRA:
"On Such A Night"
STAR:
"The Man Who Broke The Bank At Monte Carlo"
MAJESTIC:
"Escapade"

Coming

KING'S:
"Blockade"
QUEEN'S:
"Gold Diggers In Paris"
ORIENTAL:
"Tropic Holiday"
ALHAMBRA:
"Gold Diggers In Paris"
STAR:
"The Kennel Murder Case"
MAJESTIC:
"Love And Kisses"

FRANCHOT TONE MAY FORSAKE FILMS

Franchot Tone may forsake films for good when his M-G-M contract runs out in October. Tone's been putting off signing a new one for months and has got permission to do a play in the autumn.

Never liked Hollywood and only stayed because of Joan Crawford. Now the marriage has collapsed, general opinion is Tone will go back to the stage to stay.

Film Weekly readers (and writers) who've been crying Tone's claims so loudly, may feel that if Hollywood had treated him better he might have liked Hollywood more.

LATEST HERO

Douglas Corrigan is Hollywood's latest hero. Warners cabled offering the accidental Atlantic flyer a part in Dawn Patrol.

On second thoughts Warners sent a second cable suggesting a film about Corrigan's own very Irish flight. Darryl Zanuck of course had the same idea and cabled from Europe. Pete Smith of M-G-M triplicated the idea.

Meanwhile Paramount have written a Corrigan chapter into Men With Wings. They'd already covered the Hughes flight.

Keeping flying pictures up to date seems one way of never getting them finished. One day some flying epic will wait for the next American war just to be sure of getting that in too.

ISA MIRANDA WILL NOT PLAY ZAZA

Isa Miranda, Paramount's Italian import, will not play in Zaza after all. Production on the film was held up after it had been in work a week; the studio announced Miss Miranda had been taken ill, following a recent car accident, and could not continue with the part.

After a few days of searching round for a new leading lady, the role was offered to Claudette Colbert.

Claudette accepted. Picture was started all over again. Carol Lombard, for whom the part was originally intended as an antidote to her long spell of craziness, would have liked to have done it after all—but is now tied up to play in Selznick's Made for Each Other.

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Youngsters Know They Look Alike

The third picture to star the Dionne quintuplets, "Five of a Kind," has just been filmed at Callander, Ontario, home of the little girls, and a few stories about them have begun to be told about Hollywood. They have, for example, learned one of the oldest games in the world, and play at it quite regularly. The shooting company from Twentieth Century-Fox first discovered that they knew it when Jean Hersholt, who, as usual, will be seen in the role of Dr. Dafee, who brought the "Quints" into the world, asked Annette, one day between shots, to bring him a drink.

Annette understood the request perfectly, but had her own ideas about who ought to bring the cup. She turned quickly and called, "Emily!" From there it went right on down the line.

"Yvonne!" said Emily.
"Cecile!" said Yvonne.
"Marie!" said Cecile.

One of their jokes is to pretend that you have addressed the wrong one when you call to one of them. They know now quite well that they all look more or less alike. And if you address Annette by name, she is very apt to look at you blandly and say, "Not Annette, Emily." Or if you address Cecile, she will say, "Not Cecile, Yvonne." Then they all laugh at your confusion.

PROBLEMS OF SHOOTING

Shooting of the picture itself presented the usual difficulties. Dr. Dafee, allotted the company the hour between 10.30 and 11.30 a.m., thus leaving only part of the time usually given to recreation, and following in the schedule of the children's day, the half hour given over to the public to view them.

Expert technicians moved with smooth and sure speed in the set-

ting up of camera and lights, so as not to lose any of the precious hour.

For some time there was difficulty getting the little girls to work when someone they knew was about the set. Their father is a great attraction to them; they are very fond of him, and when he was about they would do nothing which did not include him. This was also true when Dr. Dafee was on the set.

Great progress with the picture was made when it was discovered that the little girls could be induced to consider each scene a "game." Once that was discovered, scenes proceeded at a greatly enhanced pace.

Twentieth-Century Fox pays about \$300,000 each for the quintuplets' pictures—a fortune for the three pictures the interest of which comes close to meeting the \$25,000 annual expense of their establishment.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TODAY

Anniversaries and Holidays—Jeremy Collier born, 1650 St. Linus.

Auctions—Household Furniture, 2 Connaught Road, Central, 2.30 p.m.

Cinemas—(See Column 3 of this Page)

Dances—Reel Practice at Helena May, 5.30 p.m.

Lectures—First Aid at St. John's Cathedral Hall, 10.30 a.m.; Maryknoll Convent School, Kowloon, A.R.P. 4 p.m.; Prof. L. T. Ride on First Aid at R.W.D. Offices, 5.30 p.m.; A.R.P. Voluntary Aid and Instructors' Course for Women, at St. John Ambulance Hqrs., Tai Hang Road, 5.30 p.m.

Mails—(See Page 16).

Meetings—Helena May Religious Fellowship, 10.30 a.m.

Miscellaneous—Claims against the Estate of John Denniston due, Moon—VII Int'l. Moon, 30th Day.

Social—Volunteer Corps First Battery Annual Dinner at Headquarters, 8.15 p.m.; Whist Drive and Tombola in R. E. Warrant Officers' and Sergeants' Mess, Wellington Barracks, 9 p.m.; Cheero Club Bridge Night.

Sports—(See Page 10).

Sunrise—6.12 a.m. Sunset—6.19 p.m.

Tides—High at 08.45 and 21.20. Low at 02.15 and 14.55.

TOMORROW

Moon—VIII Moon, 1st Day.

Sunrise—6.12 a.m. Sunset—6.20 p.m.

Tides—High at 07.50 and 20.50. Low at 01.25 and 14.23.

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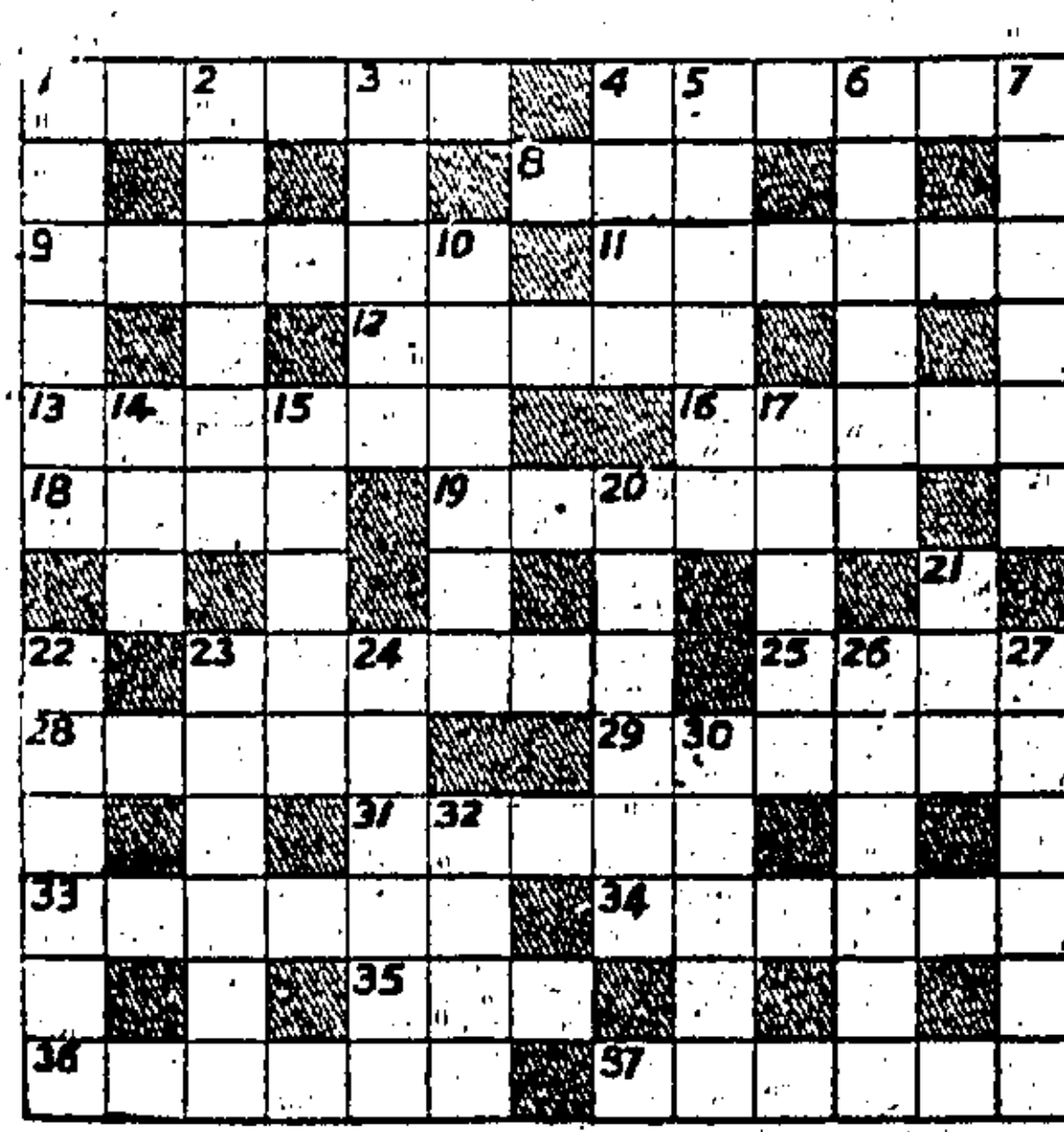
ACROSS

- 1 Fight
- 4 Pacified
- 8 In what manner
- 9 Depends on
- 11 Dried grape
- 12 Side
- 13 Set afire
- 16 Choose
- 18 Little ones
- 19 Principal meal
- 23 Fondle
- 25 Weapons
- 28 Picture border
- 29 Score
- 31 Musical instrument

- 33 Plumed bird
- 34 Wandering
- 35 Lair
- 36 Church rates
- 37 Not often

DOWN

- 1 Skillful
- 2 Genius



- 3 Flounce
- 4 Gain
- 5 Arouse
- 6 Employer
- 7 Indicate
- 10 Sleigh
- 14 Obtained
- 15 Moham-medanism
- 17 Sheil
- 20 Cuddle up
- 21 Exertion
- 23 Floor covering
- 24 Go back
- 26 Owing
- 27 Plan
- 30 Not so well
- 32 Orbs

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APPETITE OF EUROPEAN POWERS NOT SATISFIED

London, September 22.
Outspoken opposition to the action of the British Government in supporting German demands in Czechoslovakia characterised speeches by the former Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, and press statements by Mr. Winston Churchill last evening.

Speaking at Stratford-on-Avon, Mr. Eden presented a pessimistic view of the future. There was no doubt, he said, that the British people were following present developments with apprehension, since, whereas some believed that if the present difficulty can be regulated without resorting to force, the ambition of European Powers will be satisfied, many others realised that such hopes are entirely without justification because, with the present danger removed, others will crop up as result of an appetite whetted by the triumph of might over right.

"We are gradually slipping backward," declared Mr. Eden, "and the best that can be hoped for under such conditions is an uncertain peace with a crushing burden of armaments and a diminishing trade, all of which will ultimately lead to war, or otherwise to general decay."

At the conclusion of his speech, Mr. Eden urged a better understanding between Britain and America.

COMPLETE CAPITULATION

In a declaration issued to the press, Mr. Winston Churchill declared that the partitioning of Czechoslovakia under Anglo-French pressure represents a complete capitulation of the Western Democratic Powers to Nazi threats backed by force.

He demanded that Parliament be summoned to deal with the situation.

The Anglo-French action is denounced by the Independent Liberal Party at a meeting yesterday presided over by Sir Archibald Sinclair. The Government is criticised for taking action without

U.S. CRUISERS AT PORTSMOUTH

London, Sept. 22.
The American cruisers Nashville and Honolulu arrived at Portsmouth yesterday. The customary salutes were fired to the Flag Commander-in-Chief Admiral of the Fleet, the Earl of Cork, and calls were exchanged by the commanding officers of the cruisers and the Commander-in-Chief and Lord Mayor of Portsmouth—British Wireless.

SCORES DEAD IN NEW YORK HURRICANE

New York, September 22.
A hurricane of tremendous force which swept over New York and New England states yesterday has so far caused the deaths of 68 persons and untold damage to property.

PICK-A-BACK PLANE AFTER RECORD

London, Sept. 22.
After being delayed by adverse weather, the Mala and Mercury, the two components of the May composite aircraft, took off separately from Medway at Rochester yesterday, and flew to Dundee, from whence the upper component, Mercury, is shortly to make an attempt on the world long-distance flight record.—British Wireless.

consulting Parliament, and an immediate summoning of Parliament is demanded.—Transocean.

Noted Chinese Killed

ENCOUNTER WITH ARMED ROBBERS

Chungking, Sept. 21.
Mr. Hou Shu-tung, member of the People's Political Council and standing member of the Trade Commission of the Ministry of Finance, was shot and killed by an armed robber at his residence here last night.

Five or six men broke into Mr. Hou's house shortly after 7 p.m. in Mr. Hou's absence.

When he returned, the robbers tried to escape. The last one barred by Mr. Hou, fired at point blank range. Mr. Hou was hit in the chest and died on the way to hospital.—Transocean.



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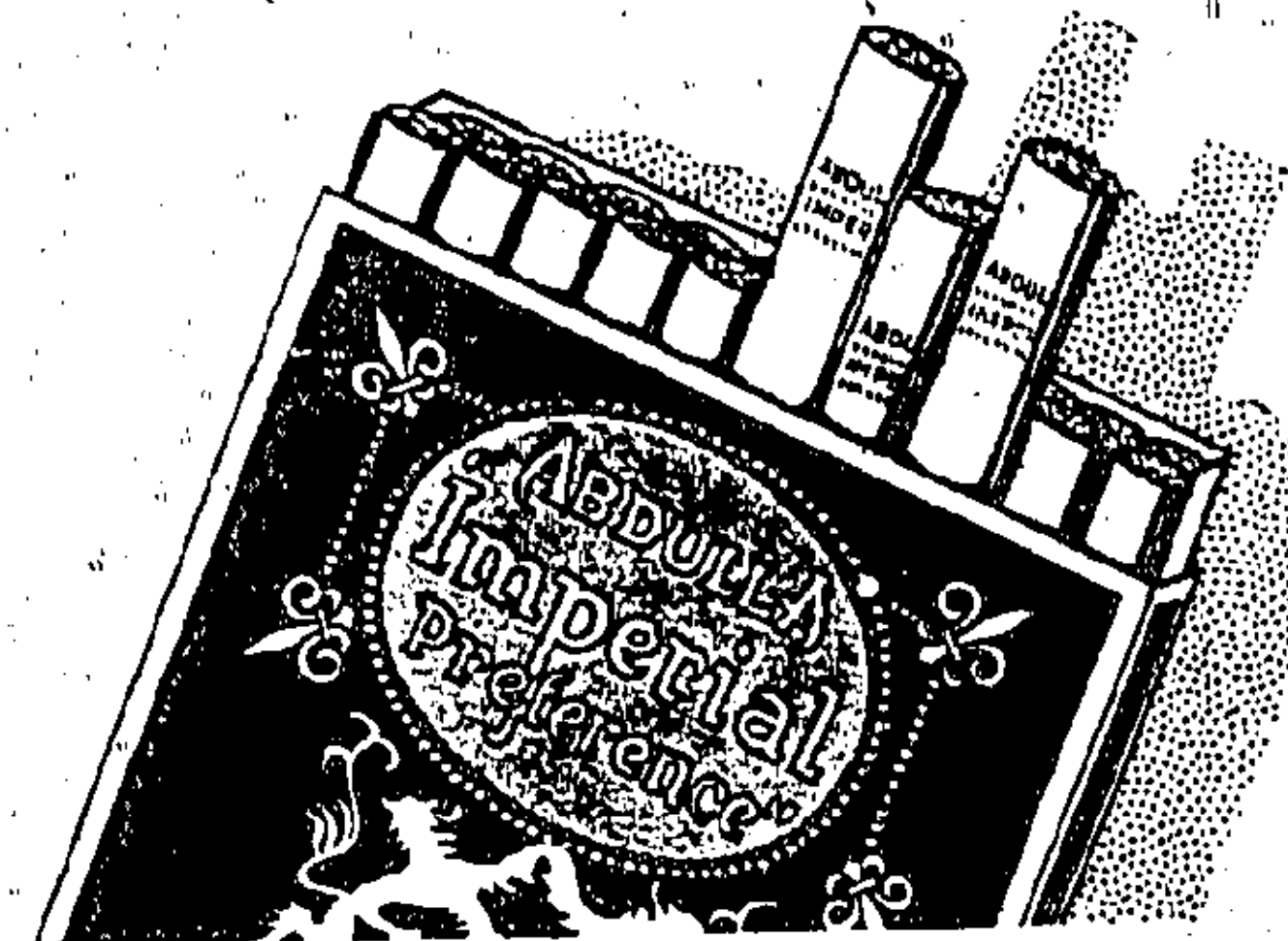
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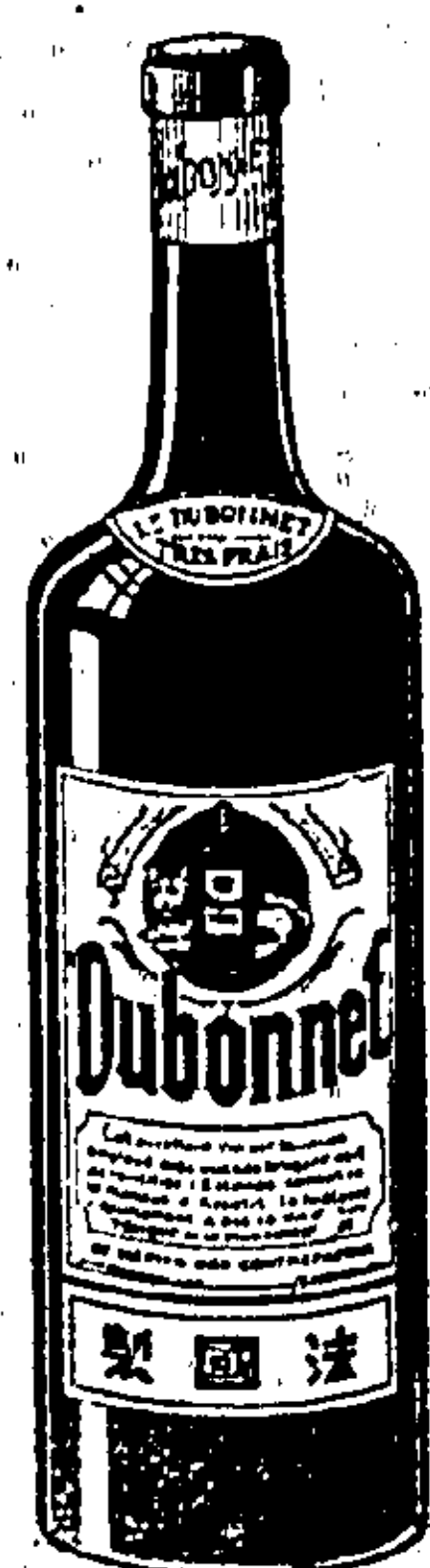
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WOMEN'S PAGE



BEAUTY FLASHES

You can have fun with your hair this autumn. Be as fancy as you please.

Beauty parlours and hair salons are keeping pace with Edwardian fashions with bows and baubles designed to be worn amidst the high piled curls. You will be able to take your choice from a variety of jewelled combs specially shaped to keep the curls from slipping. tiny sprays of flowers to match larger sprays on the gown, feathers and bows.

Edwardian fashions call for Edwardian manners. If you rouge your face, you must do it discreetly. Hence the new compact with its secret "drawer," which is not a drawer at all, but a little compartment attached to the ordinary compact.

When you open the lid of this new case, only face powder is visible. Rouge is concealed, and need not be shown except in private.

Beauty is speeding up. We have learned how to put on a new face at a moment's notice by means of quick-cleansing pads. Similar ones can now be had in miniature form saturated with a solution for removing polish from the nails.

For a quick manicure these are great time-savers. They come in white opal glass jars containing 35 pads.

PASSED FIRST AID EXAMINATION

The Women's Air Raid Precautions Union announces that the following have passed the First Aid examinations:—

Mrs. S. A. Small, Misses Katima el Arculi, Lucy Suffad, Hagara Small, Alice Abbas, Katvan, Moosdin.

Ear-Boxing Actress Pardoned

Queen Wilhelmina recently pardoned Cissy Van Bennekom, the young actress who was fined for boxing the ears of a man who called her a "sauce-box."

The incident took place in a tramcar.

The man took Cissy to court, where she explained that she was indignant because she thought he intended to be insulting.

The magistrate, finding her 10s., said that the law was that no blows could be given unless a person was attacked, and "even a nice actress is not allowed to break the law."

Cissy, determined to fight for "the right of all Dutch women to box a man's ears," appealed.

The Appeal Court, while agreeing that it was a serious thing for a married woman and a mother (Cissy is married and has a small daughter) to be called a sauce-box, the law was the law. But they reduced the fine to two shillings.

TWO LOVELY BLACK EYES

The new German Ambassador to Great Britain, Herr von Dirksen, recently found himself seated at dinner next to the beautiful young Duchess of Roxburghe. Knowing that she was a grand-daughter of the great Lord Rosebery, he remarked gallantly, "I suppose you get your fine black eyes from your Scottish ancestry?" "No, your excellency," she replied with spirit and candour, "I think it must be my Jewish ancestry. One of my grandfathers was Baron Meyer de Rothschild."

FORGIVEN BY QUEEN



CISSY VAN BENNEKOM
Man called her "sauce-box"

Newsettes

Mr. W. A. Chamberlain, correspondent in Japan for the Christian Science Monitor, arrived in Hongkong yesterday by the Empress of Asia.

Mr. Eric Himsforth, formerly Second Magistrate at Kowloon, returned from leave by the same liner.

Other well-known residents who returned to the Colony by the Empress of Asia yesterday were Major and Mrs. F. E. Hogg, of the Jockey Club, Mr. E. Simonsen, of Crown China Inc., Miss M. Manuk, Rev. Fr. Virgilelet and Rev. Fr. Maestrini.

The many friends of Mr. E. R. Lockwood General Secretary of the Canton Y.M.C.A. will be glad to learn that he is progressing satisfactorily at the Matilda Hospital after his operation for appendicitis.

Madame Wu Chu-fang, the leader of the Women's Northward Expedition Comforting Group, has cabled the Women's Comforting Association in Hongkong announcing their arrival at Nanchang on September 18.

Mr. Li Yu-jih, military strategist, reached Hongkong from the front on Wednesday en route to his native place. He will return to the front in about a week's time.

The supervisor of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Chao Hsueh-yu, arrived here yesterday aboard the Empress of Asia.

NEWS FOR WOMEN

Dark green table glass will be fashionable this winter. It looks good with a shallow centre-piece massed with mixed flower heads made from china in natural colours. There is a great vogue for this form of decoration now.

In Sweden cushions for a settee are quite small, several in different shapes and colours being piled up at each end. A small extra pillow, covered in material to match the bedspread, is put on the bed during the daytime.

Planos now match the colour scheme of the rooms in which they are placed.

I have seen a piano painted pale blue, for a pale blue and grey room, a coffee-beige one in an off-white and oatmeal coloured drawing-room. In another drawing-room the cream and gold piano goes with the walls and the brocade sofa covers.

OFFER SERVICE CAMPAIGN

The authorities at the coming "Double Tenth" next month, instead of the usual offer gold campaign, will organise an offer service campaign encouraging the people to join in the defence works.

FRIDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

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Hot Biscuits and Honey
Coffee

LUNCHEON

Fruit Cup
Grilled Fish
Tartar Sauce
Boiled Potatoes
Cold Slaw Salad
Ice Tea

DINNER

Shrimp Cocktail
Vegetable Outlets
Potatoes au Gratin
Pineapple and Cucumber Salad
Ice Cream
Cake
Coffee

TRIBUTE PAID TO QUEEN MARY

Extension Opened At Newnham

When Queen Mary travelled from Sandringham to open the new Fawcett building at Newnham College, Cambridge, recently, she was described by the Principal, Miss J. P. Strachey, as the first Queen who had befriended a Cambridge women's college.

The occasion, said Miss Strachey, completed a distinguished tradition, for many Kings and Queens of England had made benefactions to Cambridge men's colleges, and King Edward VII. and Queen Alexandra, as Prince and Princess of Wales, opened the then recently built Newnham College Hall in 1888, exactly 50 years ago.

The Rev. G. A. Weekes, Master of Sidney Sussex College, announced that Queen Mary had become the first member of and contributor to the new Society of Friends of Newnham College.

After her Majesty had declared the building open, 43 purses in aid of the Newnham Building Fund were presented.

One of these was presented by Miss Ruth Hitchcock, the blind student who recently took a double first in theology.

Another was handed in by three-year-old Shirley Booth, of Richmond, who brought a smile to the faces of Queen Mary and the guests by exclaiming loudly, "Mummy, I did it," as she left the dais.

When her Majesty opened the building she received the key from Miss Elizabeth Scott, the architect, who designed the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre, Stratford-on-Avon. Instead of the usual golden key, she received an old-fashioned tortoiseshell etui for sewing, with gold fittings.

Among those presented to Queen Mary was Miss Philippa Fawcett, the only woman who has ever beaten the senior wrangler, and after whom, conjointly with her father and mother, Prof. Henry Fawcett, the blind Postmaster-General, and Dame Millicent Fawcett, the building was named.

Miss Strachey announced that £54,000 had been received towards the £100,000 appeal launched two and a half years ago by Earl Baldwin.

"I Won't Spend It"

Mr. Stanley George Jenkinson, ten £1,000 notes stuck like a handkerchief in the breast pocket of his navy blue suit, motored home with his young wife to Newark, Notts, after the greatest day in his life.

Not only had Mr. Jenkinson, who is a grocer, collected £10,000—his winnings in a penny football pool—but he and his wife had lunched with Lord and Lady Lonsdale, and inspected some of the rare possessions which Lord Lonsdale keeps in his country home at Barleythorpe, near Oakham, Rutland.

At the end, the Jenkinsons summed it up by saying: "We've had a very nice time." Said Lord Lonsdale, in handing over the £10,000 on behalf

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FITNESS TRADITION

Snap-dragons, black and white rats, and the Phelps family of watermen are among examples selected to demonstrate theories of heredity in a pamphlet written by Dr. C. P. Blacker, and published by the Eugenics Society, of which he is secretary.

Six charts are explained, which "can be used in schools to demonstrate pictorially that heredity plays a part in our lives, which we should take into account in the choice of a mate. 'Marry wisely' is the lesson to which they point."

One chart illustrates Mendel's law, by means of the colour of antirrhinums—snap-dragons. Mendel was an Austrian monk, who, after experiments with the garden pea, discovered basic principles on which hereditary characteristics are passed on from generation to generation.

Another chart deals with the results of mating a black with a white rat, and illustrates "the principle of simple dominance in rats."

"One of the parent rats has a dominant gene (or element in germ cell) for colour, black, and the other a recessive gene, white."

"The hybrid offspring, though all black, are carriers of the gene for

IN PHELPS FAMILY

whiteness, which manifests itself in a quarter of the offspring of a mating between hybrids."

THE PHELPS FAMILY

"The Phelps family chart shows 'the transmission of physical fitness and aptitude in a family which has been associated with the river since the 13th century.'"

The Phelps, it is explained, "have been boatmen, watermen, boat-builders and professional scullers."

For generations they married the daughters of watermen and sailors, and "unconsciously they followed the tendency of like to marry like, thus passing on the magnificent physique that is their great inheritance. They have produced nine winners of the race for the Dogget Coat and Badge."

The chart, on which "the distinguished members are shown by special marks," traces the family from the days of "Honest" John down to the modern "Bossy" the King's Bargemaster.

ROLLING TO FORTUNE!

Onlooker's Doubt Ends Pose

Crowds gathered, when a shrouded female figure rolled into Jhansi from Poona.

She explained that she was rolling along the ground to Benares, holy city of the Hindus, to carry out a command of her dead husband.

A fund was immediately started by sympathetic and pious onlookers. A sum of about £15, collected on the spot, was given to the widow.

One bystander had his doubts. He was a police officer, who followed the widow to a post office, where she invested the sum in a postal order.

Then it all came out. The "widow" was a man, dressed in woman's clothes, who earned a handsome living by his imposture.

CALLING IT A SPADE

This story is from Nuremberg. One Nazi is addressing another at the parade of the Labour Service Corps, who carry spades as their "armament."

1st Nazi: When is a spade not a spade?

2nd Nazi: When it is a rifle.

In view of the overwhelming demand for hotel accommodation in Nuremberg, many correspondents of foreign newspapers have been housed in a special train drawn up in the sidings outside the city. This particular suburb bears the somewhat unfortunate name of Schweinau (piggery).

The French journalists have nicknamed their quarters Cochonville.

A MINE OF INFORMATION

Latest Book On Hongkong

THE BOOKS THAT HAVE been written about Hongkong are legion and while we have seen some publications that must be classed as good, the latest one put in the market—Hongkong, by Ellen Thorbecke—is by far the best produced "mine of information" about this far-flung outpost of the Empire.

The book is as well and tastefully illustrated as it is written and it should prove a great asset to any visitor to the Colony—and even to many residents who do not know all there is to know about Hongkong.

Like any well produced "guide book" should be, this publication deals exhaustively with every phase of life in the Colony. Commerce, social and sporting activities are all given the space they deserve.

A chart tells us that the foreign population in 1840 was nil but that by 1940 it is expected to reach 22,000. The Chinese population in 1840 was 5,650 and the estimated figure for 1940 is 1,200,000.

Education is dealt with in a separate chapter and Chinese customs and superstition are also "covered" adequately.

In conclusion a word must be said in praise of those responsible for the general layout and production.

"Hongkong, by Ellen Thorbecke" should find a place in every library. It would make a most admirable present and is sure to be much appreciated.—F. Mela.



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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE

H.M.S. Cumberland is now leaving Hong Kong on 27th September for U.K.; Captain and Officers will be at Home on Monday, 26th September at 6.30 p.m. to say Good Bye to their friends instead of on 7th October. The ship is lying alongside the Dockyard Wall at North Arm.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Zakhar George Velichinsky, of No. 14, Village Road, first floor, Wongneichong in the Colony of Hong Kong, is applying to the Governor for naturalization, and that any person who knows any reason why naturalization should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts to the Colonial Secretary, Hong Kong.

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Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hong Kong within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Hong Kong, this 20th day of Sept., 1938.

(Signed) J. J. PATERSON.

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PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 26th day of Sept., 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for on further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
Lot No. 2683	Boundary Street	ft. ft. ft. ft.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	\$	\$
As per sale plan			19,070	88	10,170

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JAPAN DOOMED TO FAILURE

OBSERVERS are agreed that though the Japanese are outwardly elated over their military successes, if they can be described as such, it is an object of bitter disappointment to Tokyo, her territorial gains notwithstanding, that the net result is not so unsatisfactory to China as might at first appear.

In spite of China's military inferiority, the Japanese plan to score a quick victory has been successfully frustrated and the invading forces have been drawn much further into the interior than a sane General Staff would care to permit. In their blind endeavour to "bring China to her knees."

The important role played by China's guerilla forces who are daily gaining in strength has succeeded in embarrassing the Japanese in their long-term and expensive war.

GUERRILLAS broiling the Japanese in that long-term and expensive war, of which she has every reason for apprehension, and may well be termed "Japan's Sorrow" both in a military and economic sense.

The cost of the war to Japan is already greater than any possible gains, economic, political or strategic, which may result from her adventure in China, for a great many years to come.

China may, temporarily, after the war is over, have to suffer the loss of part of her territory, but there will be a great stimulus to reconstruction in the remaining western, southern and southwestern areas, which, during the last twelve months, has already begun.

Moreover, foreign Powers which have a large stake in China are certain to assist China financially.

SO LONG AS CHINA'S LEADER-SHIP REMAINS UNITED, the people of the Republic are confident in their ability to make a good start as soon as hostilities have ended.

Japan, on the other hand, will have to face tremendous economic and social problems, which will be rendered more difficult by the impossible task which she has set herself of swallowing up the vast areas in north China.

In addition to the possibility of an acute internal crisis, pressure of third Powers will undoubtedly tend to further embarrass her.

Before long, Japan's economic exhaustion may become so great that even a conflagration in Europe would not assist in giving her the chance of consolidating the ground which she has temporarily occupied.

RICKSHAW PULLER AND WALLET

A plea of ignorance of the law, and a frank admission of the better in "finders, keepers," were the reasons which led to rickshaw puller, Lam Min, being bound over in a sum of \$25 for one year, when he pleaded guilty to the possession of a wallet, reasonably suspected of having been stolen or unlawfully obtained, before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday.

Lam was seen by a Chinese detective in a side lane off Pedder Street early in the morning of September 18, examining a wallet.

Mr. H. A. da B. Botelho, who represented Lam, pleaded guilty.

ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF REVOLVER

Appearing before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday charged with unlawful possession of a .38 Short revolver and five rounds of ammunition at Pink On Wharf, an unemployed seaman, Wong Chuen, alias Wong Tai-chuen, was remanded till 2.30 p.m. to-day.

FLAG TRANSFER

H. E. Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Noble, K. C. B., Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, will transfer his flag from H. M. S. Cumberland to H. M. S. Kent on Monday. The Cumberland will sail for Home, on Tuesday.

DRUG CASES AT CENTRAL

Sentences totalling four months' imprisonment, with the alternative of a fine of \$250, were imposed by Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on Lam Ng, 32, unemployed, for possession of about three tins of opium and keeping an opium den.

Wo Chiu, 48, unemployed, who was charged with possession of 1,110 heroin pills at Tang Lung Street, was sentenced to six months' hard labour, without the option of a fine.

For possession of 215 heroin pills, Mok Ming, unemployed, received four months' hard labour, without the option of a fine. An additional sentence of one month's imprisonment, or a fine of \$40, was imposed for possession of four mace of prepared opium.

With one previous conviction against him for breach of the Drug Ordinance, Wo Yau, unemployed, was sentenced to three months' hard labour for preparing opium at No. 35 Gage Street.

BROKER CLAIMS DAMAGES

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Complainant said, in evidence, that he bought the car in 1932 for \$2,500 and at the time of the accident it was in first class running condition. Its value then was \$800, according to his own estimate. After the accident, he sold the car to his brother-in-law, Mr. Maurice Well, for \$50. He had a driving licence in Hong Kong for over ten years, and had never had an accident, nor had he been convicted for any traffic offence before.

Cross-examined by Mr. Mackinlay, Mr. Potts said that the interval between the time he started across Connaught Road and the accident was about 15 seconds. Mr. Mackinlay, I put it to you that you came out of Western Street very much faster than you told us you did?—I certainly did not.

What speed were you going at the time you were hit?—Five or six miles.

I put it to you as it is my case, that the lorry in fact had lights, that the accident was caused because you did not see them, and that you got out of Western Street when it was unsafe to do so at all, in front of the lorry?—That is not true.

Evidence in support was also given by Mrs. Susan Sarah Potts, and Ahmed Khan, Indian guard 434.

DRIVER'S STORY

The driver of the lorry, Chan Shu-hon, stated that he was on his way to the Yau-mai Ferry Wharf from Kennedy Town when the accident occurred. At the junction of Connaught Road and Eastern Street, the first thing he noticed was the hood of a car, which was then in the middle of the road, and about five or six feet away on the right side of the lorry.

He applied the brakes but the vehicle skidded forward and he then heard a noise. At no time did he switch off or dim the lights of his lorry.

Mr. W. F. Webb, manager of the motor-car department of Messrs. Alex Ross, testified that he had done repairs to Mr. Potts' car occasionally, and before the accident it was in a very good condition. In his opinion, the value of the car before it was damaged was between \$500 to \$600. After it was salvaged, every part of the car had to be completely dismantled, because of the damage caused by salt water.

THE DEFENCE

Opening the case for the defence, Mr. Mackinlay submitted that the sole allegation of negligence which was of any real importance was the one that the lorry had no lights. According to the statement of claim, the negligence alleged was that: (1) the lorry had no lights; (2) that it was driven at an excessive speed; and (3) that the driver failed to keep a proper look-out. As to the second ground, there was no evidence whatsoever of the lorry's speed, and that must, therefore, fail. Concerning the third point, Counsel submitted that if the plaintiff could have seen the lorry approaching and if the vehicle had got lights on, then he himself was guilty of the final unit of negligence—by taking his car out to Connaught Road in front of the lorry and thus caused the accident.

The case was adjourned to this afternoon.

TINY, WICKED ASSASSINS

How Mosquitoes Attack Humans

The pretty little mosquito appears at first sight to be an innocent creature, but there are many people who have bitter memories of their encounter with this insect, which keeps us awake with its annoying hum.

Although the metamorphoses of mosquitoes (egg, larva, chrysalis, adult insect) are somewhat complicated, they take place in 10 days at the outside; in 30 days a mosquito can have 100,000 grand-children and great-grandchildren. Therefore, you should never allow a mosquito to fly peacefully away, when you can possibly kill it.

When we examine a mosquito during dissection we are compelled, in spite of ourselves, to admire the arsenal that it carries in its proboscis. As soon as a mosquito has settled on anybody, it eagerly seeks for a suitable place where the skin can be punctured. It does this by means of various "instruments."

There are first of all two little knives that cut a hole in the skin, which opening is then enlarged by means of two tiny blades; then comes the needle (better sharpened than the finest ultramodern needle) which sinks deeply into the skin, whilst the case containing all these tools folds back slowly to the base of the insect's head. When it is full of blood (we can watch it swelling), it flies off to another victim. If we have not been smart enough to kill it.

But if the mosquito did nothing more than sting and hum, there would not be much damage done. However, Sir Ronald Ross discovered that a certain species of mosquito, the anopheles, propagates the terrible malaria by transmitting the parasites of the disease from malarial sufferers to healthy persons.

For centuries past these insects have given malaria to millions upon millions of people and even to-day a very great number are infected every year by anopheles; but thanks to the use of quinine the number of deaths has distinctly decreased.

The Malaria Commission of the League of Nations recommends as a preventive measure the taking of a daily dose of six grains of quinine throughout the entire fever season, and for treating cases of malaria a dose of from 15 grains to 20 grains of quinine per day for five to seven days.

PICKED SAILOR'S POCKET

J. L. Root, a seaman of the U.S.S. Barker, appeared as complainant before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday when Leung Shiu, unemployed, was charged with having picked his pocket of one dollar.

Defendant who had six previous convictions for theft from the person, one each for unlawful possession and receiving stolen property, was sentenced to four months' hard labour, with two years' police supervision.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the offices of Cable and Wireless Ltd.:—Bruce Peninsular, from Portland; G. Bellie AB Hongkong Shanghai Bank from Mitchamsbury; Texilian, from Queensbury; Shengter, from Woodstock; Napochkas, from Manila.

ASSISTANCE FOR MERCHANTS

The Paoan Document Registration Bureau, in order to facilitate the merchants' trading in Hong Kong in the matter of taxes registration, has appointed the Chairman of the Paoan Chamber of Commerce residing in Hong Kong, Mr. Chen Chien-po, to be its Commissioner in Hong Kong. His office is at the Paoan Chamber of Commerce, Stanley Street.

GIRL BEATEN

Just because she had refused to eat the food purchased for her, Chung Mei-ho, a 17-year-old girl, was beaten with a broom by her mistress, Chung Lai-mui. Mei-ho made a complaint to the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, and as a result her mistress was yesterday charged with assault before Mr. Butters at the Central Court.

The woman pleaded guilty, and was bound over in a sum of \$50 to be of good behavior for one year.

CHINA TO-DAY SERIES V CHINA'S SPECIAL REGION - II

BY JACK CHEN

A few years back, Yenan was the unknown centre of an endemic famine area. To-day, it is an extraordinary laboratory for advanced social legislation and democratic practice, where mass mobilisation has been most thoroughly applied. It is also a national university centre, whence thousands of students have been graduated, where 12,000 are now working, and whither some 20,000 are now trekking.

In these colleges, you live in task of reconstruction and lay the economic basis for a socialist state. You cost the government seven cents a day to feed and you get a dollar a month pocket money. The entrance examination has only one question: "Are you against Jap aggression?" Professors receive five dollars a month wages.

You live under military discipline. The girls' college was one of the strictest I have ever seen. On the military side, you learn tactics, partisan warfare, fortifications and shooting. On the political side you learn history, social theories, Philosophy, political economy and mass work. There are suitable additions in the Arts Academy. There is no tuition fee. On graduation, you get no diploma, but a military uniform and transport to the front. . . . and they keep on coming.

These students are from every province in the country, and go back to every province in the country, with thousands of them active in the war areas. They are the "YENAN PARTISAN-BARBER."

Thus Lo Fu, member of the Executive Committee of the Party, found that membership of the Kuomintang was perfectly compatible with membership in the Communist Party. Sun Yat Sen has often been described as a "visionary, yet fifteen years after his death and in circumstances that he never dreamed of, his principles and policies are proving the only realistic ones around which the whole nation can rally.

UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE NECESSARY

I asked Mao Tse-tung if he considered that the wide democratic country, with thousands of them active in the war areas. They are the "YENAN PARTISAN-BARBER."

By Jack Chen



ed everywhere. He replied that as soldiers, and university students, this was indispensable to victory and permanent unity.

WHAT STUDENTS LEARN

They are certainly learning to fight the Japanese invasion tooth and nail! But are they learning about Communism, the class struggle, dialectical materialism and the Marxist interpretation of art? I found the advanced ones were learning this and much more. Every group studied the San Min Chu I (Sun Yat Sen's Three People's Principles).

I bought their text-books, listened to the lectures, had numerous conversations with students and interviewed their teachers.

I listed Mao Tse-tung as one of China's great idealists. He is one of the Communists who most frequently draws pictures of the future.

As the immediate aim of the Communists after the war, he envisages "a Chinese republic" based on principles of equality and liberty. That will have an independent democratic Government, a representative parliament and a constitution suited to the needs of the people. "This is not a Socialist or Soviet state," but it will "realise democratic principles to the full, and will not destroy private property."

UNITY THE MAIN THEME

In every lecture, the main theme was the necessity for national unity. An official manifesto declared the need of "mobilising the people, and organising unions of peasants, workers, merchants, students and intellectuals who would give all they had to national defence. But to do this, freedom of speech, press and assembly must be guaranteed in so far as this does not interfere with the Three People's Principles."

Briefly stated, the Communists thesis runs "Victory can be gained if all the people and parties work together for it. This unity can be made and permanently maintained if it is based on democratic freedom within the limits of the Three People's Principles."

Where, then, does the Communism come in?

Communism is both a political theory (Marxism) and a social ideal. Marxism led the Chinese Communists to understand that only a democratically organised state could save the nation from enslavement to Japan. That only a democracy could undertake the

I gathered a wealth of stories of the life there from a party of writers who had travelled thousands of li in these regions on a captured Japanese truck running on gasoline, bought in Peiping. They reported growing dissatisfaction among the partisans and Chinese troops because the quality of captured Japanese equipment and provisions was not as good as it used to be.

Proposals Flatly Rejected



INTERPORT CRICKET

Who Should Lead Hongkong?

(To The Editor, The Hong Kong Daily Press)

Sir—Mine is only a small voice, crying out in the wilderness but I trust you will be good enough to give this letter the publicity it deserves, and let my cry be at least heard.

I read from all the papers about the forthcoming cricket Interport against Shanghai. More than that, I have come across the names of two or three people, mentioned as the likely one to be chosen as captain.

Can you tell me please if the captain of a Hongkong team must be a member of the Hong Kong Cricket Club? If so why?

I grant it, the invitation from Shanghai is always addressed to the H.K.C.C. but if they are going to make it such an exclusive sort of match, why not call the team "H.K.C.C. and friends?"

In all other branches of sport, the controlling bodies concerned chose the teams and the captains. Why can't the selection of the Hongkong Cricket team be left to the Hongkong Cricket League?

I bring this up because in my humble opinion the best captain in Hongkong to-day is Donald Anderson, but he belongs to the K.C.C. and is, therefore, ineligible to lead a Hongkong Interport cricket team.—Yours etc.

"Not Cricket"

Note: The Interport series really started with the Shanghai Cricket Club playing the Hongkong Cricket Club but as interest in the game grew, the H.K.C.C. extended the courtesy to take part in these games to the other clubs in Hongkong. The invitation is always addressed to the H.K.C.C. and as long as the procedure remains unchanged, the Club must have the privilege to choose the captain.—Sports Ed.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

HOME FOOTBALL FORECAST

The Winners For To-morrow

By "Telegraph"

The following is the forecast for the League football matches (Home) to be played to-morrow. Teams in capitals are tipped to win.

DIVISION I

ARSENAL	v.	Aston Villa
BIRMINGHAM	v.	Preston North End
BLACKPOOL	v.	Grimsby T.
Brentford	v.	Sunderland
DERBY CO.	v.	Stoke C.
Huddersfield T.	v.	EVERTON
LEICESTER C.	v.	Bolton W.
LIVERPOOL	v.	Leeds U.
Manchester U.	v.	CHELSEA
MIDDLESBROUGH	v.	Charlton A.
Portsmouth	v.	Wolves

DIVISION II

BLACKBURN R.	v.	Manchester City
BURY	v.	Sheff. Wed.
FULHAM	v.	Bradford
Luton T.	v.	SHEFFIELD U.
Millwall	v.	Plymouth A.
NEWCASTLE U.	v.	Southampton
Norwich C.	v.	Burnley
NOTTS F.	v.	Coventry C.
SHEFFIELD WEST	v.	Swansea T.
W. BROM A.	v.	Tottenham H.
W. HAM U.	v.	Tranmere R.

DIVISION III (NORTHERN SECTION)

Barrow	v.	OLDHAM A.
BRADFORD C.	v.	Accrington S.
Chester	v.	Barnsley
CREWE A.	v.	Lincoln C.
DONCASTER R.	v.	Darlington
HULL C.	v.	Stockport Co.
NEW BRIGHTON	v.	Hallifax T.
Rochdale	v.	GATESHEAD
ROTHERHAM U.	v.	Hartlepool U.
Southport	v.	Carlisle U.
YORK C.	v.	Wrexham

DIVISION III (SOUTHERN SECTION)

BOURNEMOUTH	v.	Southend
BRIGHTON	v.	Exeter C.
BRISTOL R.	v.	Cardiff C.
Clapton O.	v.	Bristol C.
NEWPORT CO.	v.	Aldershot
NORTHAMPTON T.	v.	Notts Co.
Port Vale	v.	Mansfield T.
READING	v.	Ipswich T.
SWINDON T.	v.	Watford
Torquay U.	v.	Crystal Palace
Walsall	v.	QUEEN'S PARK R.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE DIVISION I

Arbroath	v.	RANGERS
Ayr U.	v.	HEARTS
CELTIC	v.	Raith R.
FALKIRK	v.	Hamilton A.
Hibernian	v.	ABERDEEN
MOTHERWELL	v.	Queen's Park
PARTICK TH.	v.	Queen of South
ST. JOHNSTONE	v.	Clyde
St. Mirren	v.	Albion R.
THIRD LANARK	v.	Kilmarnock

GOLF

British Women Defeated

Wilmette, Ill., Sept. 22.

The four British Curtis Cup golfers, Miss Jessie Anderson, Miss Charlie Tiernan, Mrs. J.B. Walker and Mrs. A. C. Critchley, who entered the second round of the American Women's Golf Championship on the Westmoreland Country Club's course here yesterday, were all eliminated in the course of to-day's play. To-day's results were:

SECOND ROUND

Miss Tiernan beat Mrs. O. S. Hill, of Kansas, 4 and 2.
Miss Betty Jameson, of Texas, beat Mrs. Walker 4 and 2.
Miss Peggy Graham, of Hollywood, beat Miss Jessie Anderson 2 and 1.
Miss Traugott beat Mrs. Critchley (formerly Miss Diana Fishwick) at the 19th.

THIRD ROUND

Mrs. E. R. Hury, of Texas, beat Miss Tiernan, two up.
Mrs. Julius Page beat Miss Jameson 4 and 2.—Reuter.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

London, Sept. 22.

The following were the results of rugby matches played to-day:
Bristol 23 CLIFTON 0
Rugby 9 Northampton 0
Bristol 9 Abertillery 0
—Reuter.

SHEK-O GOLF TOURNEY

Starting Times For Sunday

The Shek-O Junior Championship Medal Play over 18 holes will take place on Sunday, September 25, and the following are the names of competitors with starting times:—

	1st 9 Holes	2nd 9 Holes
L. M. S. Lloyd v. R. R. de L. Liesching	10.00	11.00
A. H. A. Penn v. J. R. Collis	10.05	11.05
F. C. Young v. H. J. Armstrong	10.10	11.10
G. W. Sewell v. R. Stock	10.15	11.15
Major H. K. D. Money v. Capt. J. S. Douglas	10.20	11.20
G. A. Pentreath v. C. C. Roberts	10.25	11.25
R. R. Ross v. A. Murdoch	10.30	11.30
D. MacAllister v. C. B. Burgess	10.35	11.35
D. C. Edmondston v. H. R. Sturt	10.40	11.40

Entries for the Senior Championship on Sunday, October 2, over 36 holes will close on Wednesday, September 28, and names of competitors with their opponents should be sent in as soon as possible to the Secretaries, Messrs. Thomson & Co.

ARMY CRICKET TRIAL

The following will take part in the Army cricket trial at Sookun-poo on Saturday at 2 p.m.:—

Major L. A. Newnam (Capt.), Lt. Habbirk, Sgt. Gill, Corp. Vnagheaux, Pt. Pocock, L/C. Stanford, Sgt. F. G. N. Smith, Sig. Murphy, Pt. Martin, Pt. Coombes, and Sig. Dixon.
Lt. Pearl (Capt.), Lt. Chivrell, S/Sgt. Baker, Sgt. Bloomfield, Corp. Denyer, Sapper Radcliffe, Sgt. Paterson, C.S.M. Northcote, Corp. Webb, Sgt. Palmer, and Pt. Hatfield.

ENGLAND BEATS IRELAND AT SOCCER

Belfast, Sept. 21.

In an Inter-League soccer match here to-day, the English League team defeated an Irish League side by eight goals to two.

In a friendly match, the Arsenal defeated the Swiss Wanderers by three goals to two.—Reuter.

TSUIS ENTER DOUBLES HARDCOURT FINAL

Beat Fincher And Remedios In Match Of Patches

By "Ex-Tennis"

COMPLETELY OUTPLAYED AND OUTCLASSED for two titles: and one-sided sets, E. C. Fincher and A. V. Remedios, would-be challengers for the Colony Hardcourt tennis doubles title, came back strongly against the formidable Tsui Brothers combination, and in the end were beaten, but by no means disgraced, by three sets to one.

ACTUALLY THEY HAD AN ODDS-ON CHANCE of forcing the match to the fifth set, which would in itself have been in the nature of an upset, but, leading 40-love with the score four games to five against themselves in the fourth set, they unaccountably allowed the opposition to chase them, and to clinch the game, set, and match then and there.

The game as a spectacle began only in the third set, for the first two were absolutely lacking in interest, being so one-sided that even the scores of 6-2, 6-1 flattered the losers. From the third set, however, play brightened up appreciably. The Tsuis were perhaps "letting up" for the first part of this set, but there can be no doubt that when they found themselves unexpectedly down 1-5 they played their very best. Even so, they could do no more than to take the next three games before conceding the set.

TWO REMEDIOS

In critiques of tennis matches the phrase "so and so was two players rolled into one" is often

(Continued on Back Page)

RACING RESUMES IN COLONY

Seventh Extra Meeting

"SUBS" AUTUMN PLATE THE MAIN EVENT

By "Last Quarter"

ONCE AGAIN RACING WILL be prominent amongst this week-end's sport when the Hongkong Jockey Club commence their second half of the season's programme on Saturday with an excellent card of nine events. The main race will be the Sub-Griffins Autumn Plate, which despite the notable absence of Louis XIV, champion sub of the year, and Planchet, should produce an excellent field from the 11 entries.

The innovation of dividing the "B" Class China ponies into two sections will certainly justify itself and I firmly believe the contender in this particular class will provide the best of the afternoon. Surprises may be in store for punters as form cannot be so accurately determined after a rest of approximately three months. There will be undoubtedly quite a number of ponies that will not have reached racing pitch as yet and therefore upsets may be expected in certain events.

Several well-known riders from the North will be on view to-morrow, amongst them Mr. P. T. Wei, a jockey with a fine record from Hankow, Mr. "Bobby" Wade of Shanghai, Mr. J. Hearn of Tsingtao and Mr. P. L. Jul, a former Shanghai novice who graduated into the experienced ranks at the last Macao Meeting. These gentlemen are all well-known and experienced exponents of the game

and I can safely assure readers that they are capable of doing full justice to the mounts entrusted to their care.

TWEED ISLAND BAY HANDICAP (First Section)

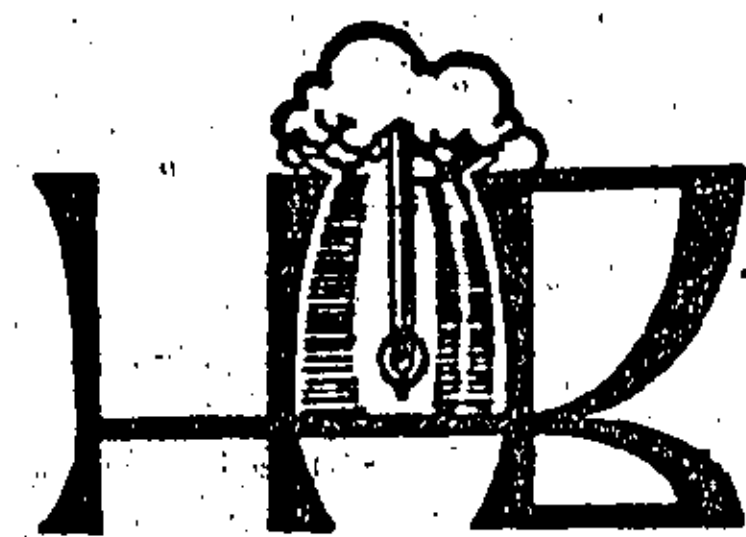
THIS RACE FOR "B" CLASS CHINA PONIES over one mile is an appropriate curtain raiser and one need only review the probable starters and their respective

jockeys, to confirm the opinion expressed amongst early rail fans that this event will furnish punters with a ticklish problem in trying to pick the winner. At this time, I will confine my comments to the merits of the various ponies and am depending on the try-outs this morning before making my final selections for the race.

Red Feather, the winner of the Lantao Handicap last June is in at a low weight and will have the services of Mr. Wei. This combination should be very close especially taking into consideration the fact that in winning the Lantao Handicap this bay from the Dunbar stable covered the last mile in 1 min. 56 seconds, and is in fine fettle at the moment.

Oak Bay, recently demoted from the "A" Class will be ridden by Mr. A. Raymond, who so successfully piloted this grey before the recess. Despite the weight (163 lbs) this game racer is a real danger and will have to be reckoned with as Mr. Raymond nurses his mount very carefully and will be difficult to catch once he has got a slight lead over the field.

Expression Time (Needa) appears to me in the best of condition and it will take a real good one to beat this candidate from the Li Po Chun stable. New Star will have a new jockey in Mr. (Continued on Back Page)



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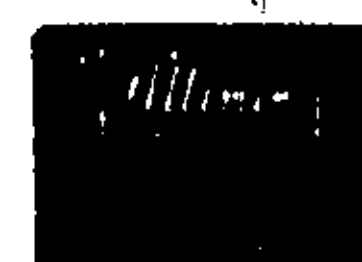
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12.30 p.m. Excerpts from Gilbert

and Sullivan.

"The Gondoliers": I Am A Court-

ier Grave And Serious—It A

Lytton and G. Baker; Here Is A

Case—D. Oldham, G. Baker, A.

Bennett, W. Lawson A. Davies and

Chorus: "Patience" Love Is A

Plaintive Song—Winifred Lawson

(Soprano) with Orchestra; Sc Go

To Him—Bertha Lewis and George

Baker; It's Clear That Medieval

Art—D. Oldham, M. Green and D.

Fancourt with Orchestra: "The

Mikado": A More Humane Mikado

—Darrell Fancourt and Chorus of

Men; Here's A How-De-Do!—E.

Griffin, D. Oldham and B. A.

Lytton; Mi-Ya Sa-Ma—B. Lewis,

D. Fancourt and Chorus: "The

Pirates Of Penzance"; 'Tis Mabel!

Poor Wand'ring One—Elsie Griffin

and Chorus of Girls; What Ought

We To Do, Gentle Sisters, Say?—

Nellie Brice, and Nellie Walk-

er; How Beautifully Blue The Sky

—Elsie Griffin, Derek Oldham and

Chorus of Girls.

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and

Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. London Piano-Accor-

deon Band and Sam Browne

(Baritone).

Diddle-Dee-Dee (Dunn and

Forth)—London Piano-Accordeon

Band under the direction of Scott

Wood (with vocal chorus); A Star

Fell Out Of Heaven (Gordon and

Revel)—Sam Browne with Orches-

tra; The Whistling Waltz (Alm

'Lmelight); Happy, I'm Happy

(film "Caravan"); Wine Song (film

"Caravan")—London Piano-Accor-

deon Band with vocal chorus; Sam

Browne Requests. Intro; Stormy

Weather; Sylvia; Auf Wiedersehen;

Just One More Chance; Let's Put

Out The Light and Go To Sleep;

When Day Is Done—Sam Browne

with Orchestra; A Waltz Was Born

in Vienna (Crocker and Loewe);

An Revolt—But Not Good-by;

(Gilbert)—London Piano-Accor-

deon Band under the direction of

Scott Wood with vocal chorus.

1.30 p.m. Renter and Rugby

Press, Weather Forecast and An-

nouncements.

1.40 p.m. Cesar Franck—Sonata

In A Major.

Played by Alfred Cortot (Piano)

and Jacques Thibaud (Violin).

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6 p.m. Dance Music and Variety.

Dance Orch.—Your Heart And

Mine—Fox-Trot (from "Blackbirds

of 1938"); Keep A Twinkle

In Your Eye—Fox-Trot (from

"Blackbirds of 1938")—Billy Cot-

ton and His Band with Vocal

Chorus; Vocal—"Give Me A Ring"

—A Couple Of Fools In Love I Only

Want One Boy—Margaret Banner-

man (Soprano) with Martin

Brookes at the Piano; Dance Orch.

—Mood Indigo (Ellington-Mills-

Bigard); I've Got The World On

A String—Fox-Trot—Joe Paradise

and His Music with vocal refrain;

Say I Wasn't Dreaming—Fox-Trot;

Quicker Than You Can Say Jack

Robinson—Fox-Trot—Mario "Harp"

Lorenz and His Rhythmic with

vocal refrain; Dance Of The Gad-

fly—Slow Fox-Trot; Quivering

Quavers—Fox-Trot Intermzzo—

Otto Dobrindt and His Piano Sym-

phonists Somebody Stole My Break

—Fox-Trot; I Come From A Musi-

cal Family—Fox-Trot—Louis Arm-

strong and His Orchestra with

vocal chorus by Louis Armstrong;

A Modia Luz—Tango; La Cuca-

racha—Rumba, Fox-Trot—Or

questa Tipica Roberto Firpo with

vocal refrain.

Piano Duets—Viennese Waltz

Medley (Strauss, arr. Rawicz);

Intro: Blue Danube; Wiener Blut;

Gipsy Baron; Fledermaus; Wiener

Bon Bons; Tales from the Vienna

Woods; Voices of Spring—Rawicz

an Laudauer.

Vocal—Gracie's Request Record.

Intro: Sing as we Go; Because I

Love You; The Rochdale Hounds—

Gracie Fields with Orchestra Ac-

comp. You Mean The World To

Me (from Operetta "The Singing

Dream")—Joseph Schmidt (Tenor)

with Orchestra personally cond.

by Richard Tauber (Sung in Ger-

man).

Dance Orch.—Lost-Fox Trot.

Dream Time—Fox Trot—Jay Wil-

bur and His Band (Vocalist: Sam

Costa).

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7.02 p.m. A Light Orchestral

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Napoli—Tarentella (Mezzacapo);

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son Italiane—F. Volpatti, Jr.)—

Orchestra Napolitain. I'm All

Alone; I'll Wait For You (May and

Feller)—Webster Booth with Or-

chestra. Die Hochzeit Der Winde,

Waltz (John T. Hall); Valse Ro-

mantique (Heinecke)—Vienna

Boheme Orchestra. Plaisir D'Amour

(Martini); Se Tu M'Ami (Per-

goles)—Jessica Dragonette with

the Renaissance Quintet. Dream

of Autumn (Joyce); Choristers'

Waltz (Phelps)—London Novelty

Orchestra.

7.35 p.m. London Relay—"Under

Big Ben."

A talk by Howard Marshall.

7.50 p.m. An Excursion In The

Vienna Woods.

A Medley, arr. by M. Charlie,

from melodies by J. Strauss. The

Great Symphony Orchestra with

Chorus conducted by Alois Mel-

char.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal. Weather

Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Songs by Georges Thill

(Tenor).

Serenade Toscani: Clair De

Lune (Faure and Verlainne).

Piano accomp. by Maurice Faure.

8.09 p.m. Studio—A Recital by

Ettore Pellegratti (Cello) with

Piano accompaniment by Lindsay

A. Lafford.

1. Sonata (Debussy) (a) Prologue

(b) Serenade et Finale; 2. Pavane

pour une Infante Defunte (Ravel);

3. Variations Symphoniques (Boell-

mann).

8.36 p.m. Overture—The Force of

Destiny (Verdi).

Played by the Berlin State Opera

Company Orchestra.

8.45 p.m. Studio—Rev. C. R. R.

Sargent—43rd Series of Opera:

Verdi's "Othello" Act I.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—The

News.

9.50 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trots—Everybody Dance

(from the film); My What A

Diffrent Night (film "Everybody

Dance"); Louis Levy and His

Gaumont British Symphony with

vocal chorus by Edward Molloy.

Tango—Once Only—George Bou-

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From 21 to 29 Sept. 1938
HIGHER WATER. Lower WATER.
Day of Week, Date of Month, Time, Height, Day of Week, Date of Month, Time, Height.

Day of Week	Date of Month	Time	Height	Day of Week	Date of Month	Time	Height
Fri	23	6.45	7.2	0.15	23	6.45	7.2
Sat	24	6.37	7.0	0.10	24	6.37	7.0
Sun	25	6.28	6.8	0.05	25	6.28	6.8
Mon	26	6.19	6.6	0.00	26	6.19	6.6
Tue	27	6.10	6.4	0.00	27	6.10	6.4
Wed	28	6.01	6.2	0.00	28	6.01	6.2
Thur	29	5.52	6.0	0.00	29	5.52	6.0

WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY
10 a.m. Sept. 22.
Barometer (at sea level), 29.92 ins.
Temperature, 81 F.
Humidity, 80 per cent.
Wind direction, East.
Wind force (Beaufort), 5.
Temperature; maximum yesterday, 85 F.
Temperature; minimum last night, 79 F.
Rainfall for 24 hours ending 10th to-day, 0.06 ins.
Total rainfall since January 1st 47.02 ins.
Against an average of 75.46 ins.
Sunset to-night, 6.20 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 6.12 a.m.
4 p.m. Sept. 22.
Barometer (at sea level), 29.84 ins.

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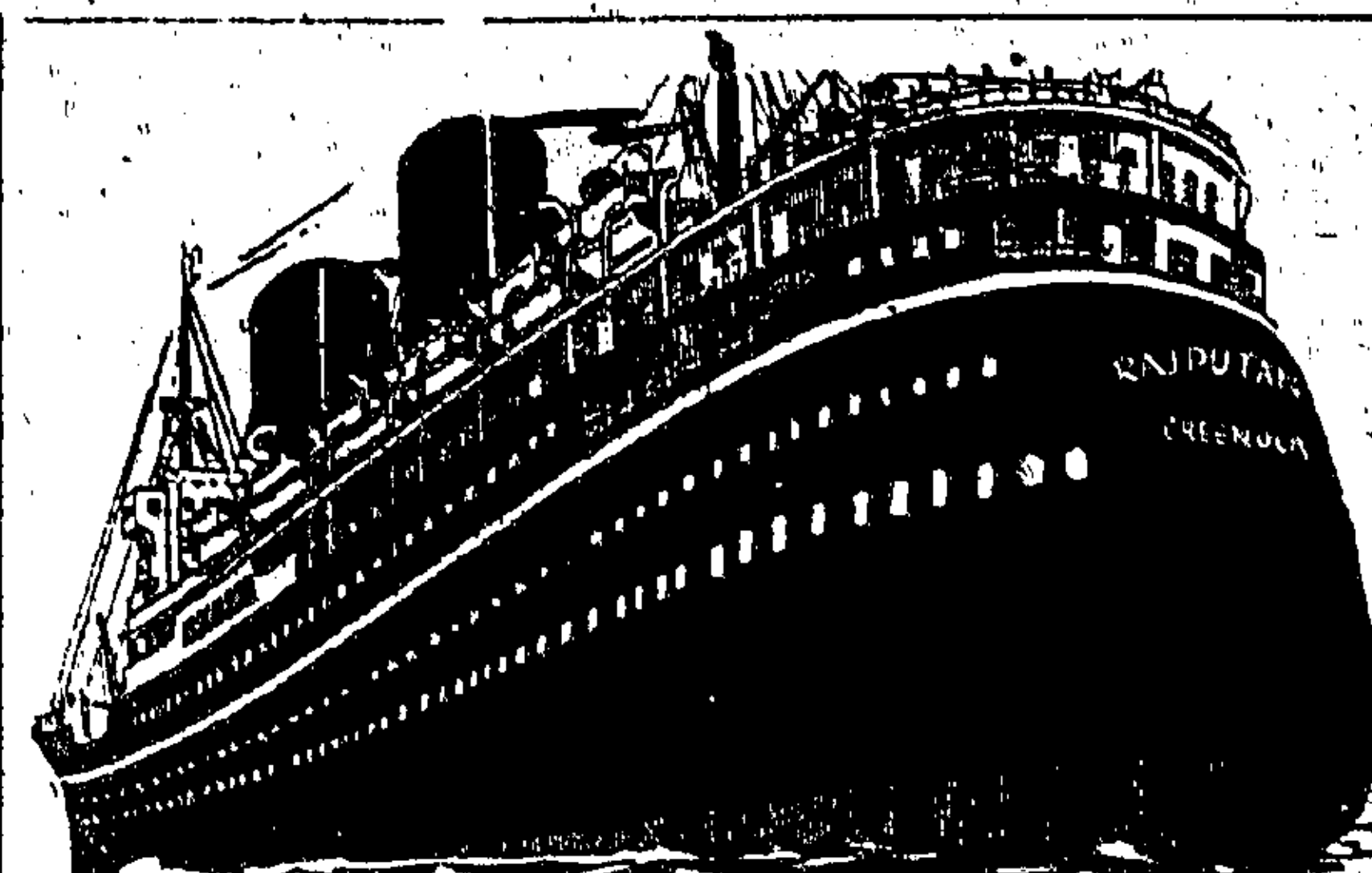
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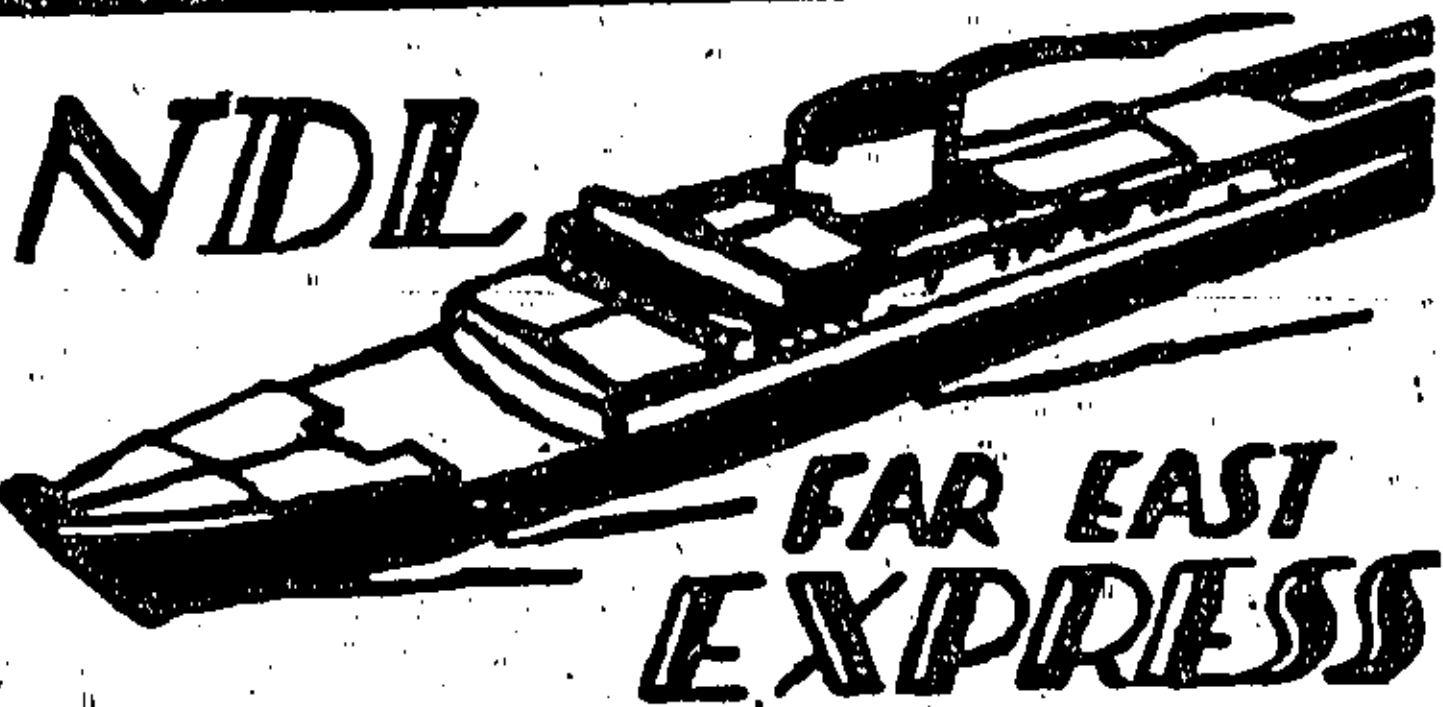
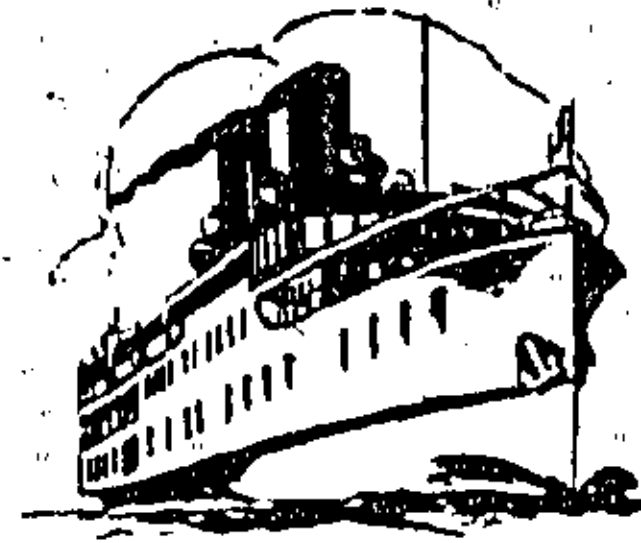
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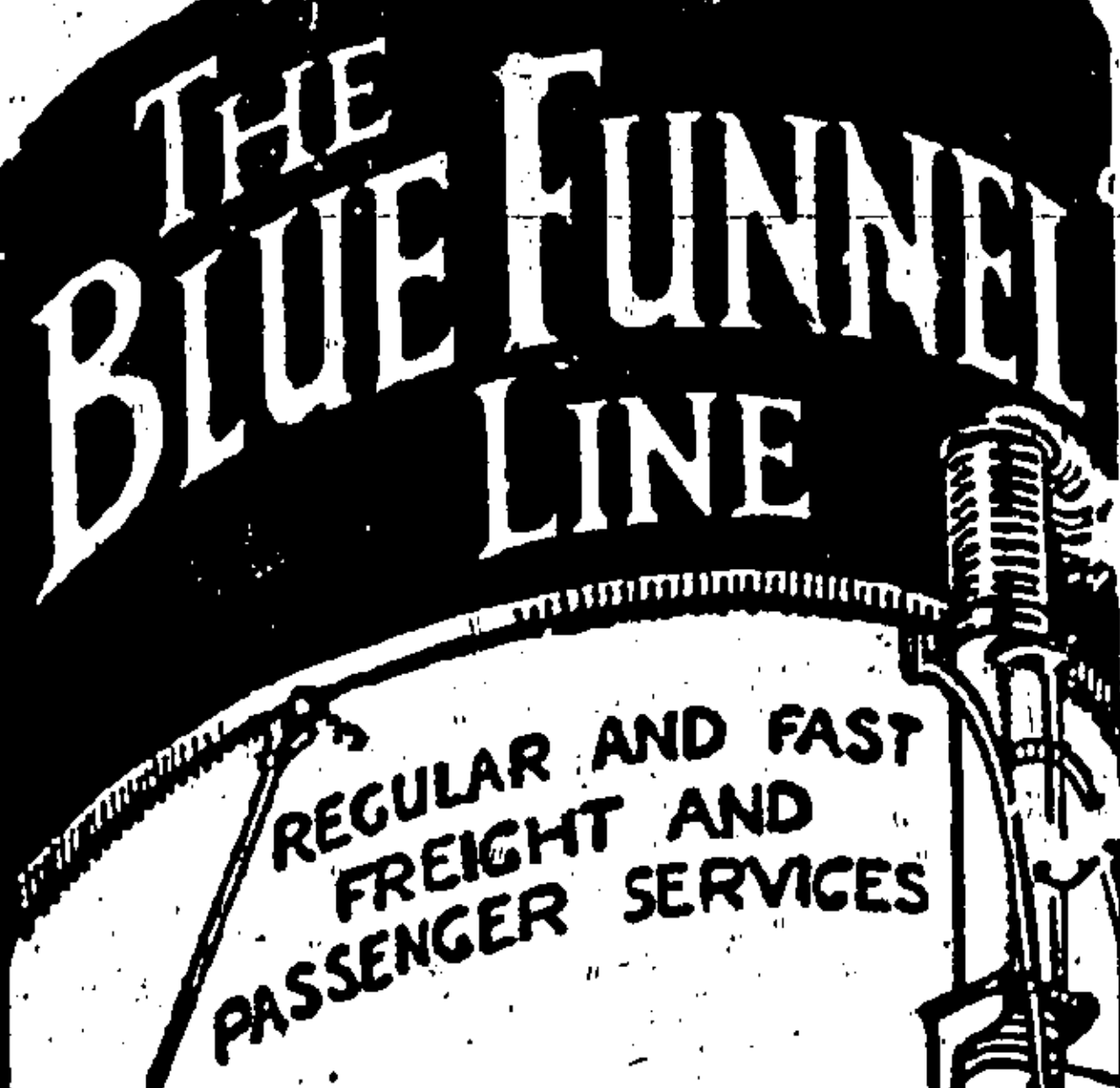
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RACING PROSPECTS

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Bobby Wade, while Dawn Star will be entrusted to Mr. S. W. Tang. Of these two stable mates the former appeals to me as being the better one. Potentate (Encarnacao) placed consistently during the first half in practically every "B" Class race and at much heavier weights than 133 lbs. I think this chestnut has an excellent chance.

THE "MUD LARKS"

Soldier of Britain (F. F. Li) seems to have lost a lot of the old dash and will probably go under to the younger opponents. Wild Life (Heurn) does not appear to be right up to the mark as yet and appears to be short of a gallop or two. Mr. Pih will have the pick of four mounts—Cossack's Beauty, Honeymoon Eve, Humdrum Eve and Moonlight View. His selection, I am certain, will be guided to a great extent by the state of the track and if the going is on the soft side or rain is the order of the day, I believe the final choice will be between Cossack's Beauty and Honeymoon Eve, both of which are well known "mud-larks."

I am looking forward to an extremely interesting struggle for honours and strongly advise racing enthusiasts to get down to the course in time for this event. It will be a great race, with little to choose between Expression Time, Oak Bay, Potentate, Red Feather, New Star and Mr. Pih's mount.

VAUCLOUSE HANDICAP

This is a sprint race of approximately five furlongs for "B" Class Australians and there are several flyers among the probable starters. Pride of place, owing to her ability to get into stride practically from the gate, goes to Derby Day, who will undoubtedly be one of the favourites. The main opposition will be furnished by Viken Tor, a brilliant finisher but at times a trifle slow in getting off the mark. Lucky Lad has been doing some fast gallops recently but this pony has a rather "in-and-out" record and is not too dependable. However, Mr. Proulx will be in the saddle and there should be no lagging at the gate.

Crisfel (Needa) galloped exceptionally well on Wednesday morning and will be worth backing. Aztec and Dick Turpin (Foy) are both fine sprinters but I cannot concede them more than an outside chance. Other probable starters are Annabella (Encarnacao), Little Audrey (Wade), Snowy River (Raymond), Ranger and Tornado Star.

SUB-GRIFFINS AUTUMN PLATE

Although it would seem to many that the absence of Louis XIV should make this event a very open one I believe that it will result in a comfortable victory for Smiling Thru. On looks and training performances, there is nothing to enthuse over about this brown sub but give him a grass track and Mr. Encarnacao in the saddle, and between them they should gallop the legs off the opposition. His nearest rivals are Salvage Master (B. L. Tao) and Golden Cow (S. C. Liang). Both these ponies are well-known stayers and always ready to put up a fighting finish.

Dekko (Proulx) is in excellent condition at the moment and is the best one to follow outside of the favourites. Piet Hein (Pih) will also be starting but good as this bay has proved to be, I am sceptical as to his ability to stay the full mile and a quarter against the others mentioned above.

Fel Ying and Borrachito (L. B. Chao) are also better over the shorter distances, while Cape Comorin, Sea Dragon and The Leopard, I am afraid, are outclassed; the latter especially appearing to be in rather poor condition.

ISLAND BAY HANDICAP

(First Section)
Just In Time has done two creditable gallops recently, and should be able to account for the rest in this six furlongs sprint.

This black mare will be ridden by Mr. Wade. Elizabeth (Heurn) has also been improving of late but I believe, at most, should only secure a place. Pinfarthings (Proulx), while in training for the Annual Meeting showed a distinct abhorrence for the gate. The first time out, at the Fifth Extra Meeting, in a six furlongs race, the gate was not used, but despite a fairly good start this chestnut was an abject failure. The next outing, over a mile, was no indication for as far as my memory serves me, the pony was troublesome at the gate and started badly. At the moment, this chestnut looks fairly well but I make him no better than an outside bet. Tyne (Chao)

and Laughing Girl (S. C. Liang) are also reputable sprinters and may make a fight of it at the finish for the minor position.

Rose Queen (Encarnacao), one of the moodiest runners on the Valley course, will find the distance a little too short for her to get going. Bright View and Seem View have done nothing encouraging during early morning training, while King's Justice and Kum Shan are not yet in full racing trim. The former appears to be also severely handicapped as regards age and seem to need a real good rest or complete severance with racing.

TWEED ISLAND BAY HANDICAP

(Second Section)
This is the first leg of the Daily Double and on present form I think Expansion Time will be the first to catch the judge's eye. Winner of the Maiden Stakes and second in the Derby last year, this iron grey mare should be very close with 10 lbs. off weight for inches. Jober appeared a little scraggy last week but has since improved and I am reliably informed that the pony is fit and expected to give a good account of himself. Rob Roy is another dangerous contender though the weight (164 lbs) should be against this iron grey.

Havoc Eve, on the one occasion I saw this chestnut, did not impress and I will not be surprised to find him amongst the non-starters. Lancashire Lass may find the mile a little beyond her but this grey is fit and worth an outside bet. Commencement may be a Boolat Bay are about the best of the others. National Pride is not of the same standard while I understand Royal Scot and Handicap Eve will be not be starting; the former having pulled up lame after Wednesday morning's gallop.

GOSFORD HANDICAP

Brutus (Pih) has a wonderful chance in this six furlong race for "C" Class Australians, as this animal is in top condition and galloping like a champion. Bredon (Proulx) and Twilight Star (Tang) will furnish the opposition though I prefer the chances of the latter, as Bredon is apt to pack up suddenly. Macquarie River is a fair place bet, while Violet Queen looks the best outside. Discovery Bay was rather disappointing on Wednesday morning and I am afraid she is not quite ready. Zodiac (165 lbs) needs watching though the weight may prove to be too much. Strathcarrick has been striding out nicely in the morning and I pass this information on to my readers for what it is worth, as this brown mare has proved time and again her unreliability in a race.

The field will be a fairly large one, and the draw for positions at the starting gate will be an important factor, but one need not fear such probable starters as Lily, Liangollen and Sea Spray, even if they should be favourably placed at the barrier.

CLEAR WATER BAY HANDICAP

This six furlong race for "E" Class ponies and 1938 subs that have not won more than \$550 in stakes, should produce the largest field of the day. The quality is nothing exceptional and I favour the chances of the two top weights, Double Chance (168 lbs.) and Emergency Call (164 lbs). The latter will have the services of Mr. Encarnacao and should just about do the trick. Yum Sing and Wenning have both been showing improved form on the training track and will run well. Easy Time with Mr. Needa up is bound to find support, while Lucky Eleven is not out of it altogether especially if a strong and hard rider is given the mount.

This event is the second leg of the Daily Double and which ever pony wins will pay a fair price as quite a number of the starters will find support in the pari-mutuel from their respective stable connections.

JUNK BAY HANDICAP

The novice jockeys are well catered for in this mile event and the issue will be fought out between Gold Coin (C. F. Chiu) and Estover (Coppin). Mr. K. I. P. the leading novice, will take care of Plain View, which should run close. Tempest is not a bad one to follow, provided a fairly strong jockey is booked, as this grey is rather sluggish. Of the others, I think Whalsey (Colson) is about the best. Good Morning (Graye) has gone back a little on past form, while Flybynight (Ho Hong Pin) does not look in the best of condition. Coronation Day (Spreeley) is another starter but I am afraid this

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, Sept. 22.

The following are the results of baseball matches played yesterday:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	4	9	2
Boston	0	7	2

(Dean pitched for the Cardinals)

The matches Pittsburgh v Brooklyn, Cincinnati v New York and Chicago v Philadelphia, all double-headers, were postponed owing to rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	6	8	5
Detroit	8	9	0

(Greenberg homered for the Tigers).

Philadelphia 0 3 1
Detroit 3 7 0
(Hoffenberger pitched for the Tigers, and Gehring homered. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning owing to darkness).

	R.	H.	E.
New York	2	7	3
Chicago	5	4	1

(Gehrig homered for the Yankees).

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	8	12	1
St. Louis	4	10	0

(Foxy homered for the Red Sox and Almada for the Browns).

The match between Washington Senators and Cleveland Indians was postponed owing to rain. Reuter.

HARD COURT FINAL

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used—sometimes with little or no justification. There can be no question, however, that Remedios appeared in two distinct and different guises yesterday.

In the first two sets he was weak in the extreme, giving Fincher the minimum of support. There were times when he played so badly that I metaphorically rubbed my eyes. From the third set, however, a different man appeared on the court.

Confident, aggressive, coming forward to meet most things, Remedios developed into that sort of player which to a partner of Fincher's type means everything.

The feature of his game was a sizzling forehand drive, but his volleying also improved. Small wonder, then, that they ran off into a well-deserved 5-1 lead and eventually took the set.

The Brothers were more or less their usual selves—brilliant and patchy. Yun-pul, to my mind, decided one question once and for all. The question of who, at his best, has the strongest backhand in Hongkong. His drives on that wing were made with amazing speed and accuracy and there was nothing wanting in his volleying either.

KEEN FINISH

The match had a keen enough finish. Down 1-3 and then 2-4, the losers took the next game for 3-4. Three deuces were called in the next before they lost it.

In the ninth game they attained a lead of 40-15 but were pulled back to deuce and saved two match points before taking it. The tenth—and last—game saw them run away with a start of 40 love and then for no apparent reason Fincher netted a none-too-hard smash, a weak lob was killed by the older Tsui and finally the latter put over another smash for the match.

chestnut will not be in it after the first 3/4 mile has been covered.

ISLAND BAY HANDICAP

(Second Section)
The last event over six furlongs, is for "C" Class China ponies and though the distance should suit Laughing Buddha (P. F. Li), this brown may not be racing fit as yet. Tampa Bay (Wei) is my choice for this event, especially after last Tuesday's morning's gallop. Soldier of China (Tang) will sure make a fight of it and stands an even chance of annexing premier honours. Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao) may find the weight a little too much and the same remarks apply to Wild Cat (Pih), though this dun is looking very well and appears very fit. The balance of the field will be composed of Amberley (Tao), Election Time (Colson), Jungle Jim (Ip Kui Ying), Night View (Y. T. Fung) and Royal Highness (S. L. Yuen).

My final selections for the various events will appear in tomorrow morning's issue.

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